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Having determined to sell off every dollar's worth of the goods which were in showroom at the time of the fire, on MONDAY, the 28th inst., the store will be closed for the purpose of still further marking down the remainder of the stock. Articles really damaged will be quoted at an almost give away price. In other lines 50 per cent. off should make a Clearance. We quote JACKETS and WATERPROOFS at 25 cents on the dollar. Ladies' sets of colored Percale Collars and Cuffs at 10c., worth 40c. Ladies' Blouse Waists (just opened), stylish, at say half usual price.

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DON'T FORGET TO GO TO SAMPSON'S Book Exchange to-night to buy or exchange books; novels sold at half price, exchanged at 5c. each.

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GEORGE BYRNES,
Auctioneer.

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UNITED PRESS WON.

Every Material Point Decided Against the Associated Press.

Washington, June 2.—Judge Cox, in the supreme court of the District of Columbia, this morning decided the case of the Associated Press against the Washington Press and the United Press. On every material point the judge decided against the Associated Press. The matter of allowing the United Press advance proofs of news was the only point not decided against the Associated Press, and on that, decision was reserved. The judge held the only remedy of the Associated Press was to discontinue service if they were aggreived.

A senate resolution offered by Hill (New York) for an open session of the senate committee in the sugar trust investigation was laid before the senate and Hill spoke in its support.

At 10:30 the tariff bill was laid before the senate, but Hill continued his remarks. The committee was not, he said, a court martial organized to acquit or convict, it was simply for the purpose of investigating the truth by certain newspaper associations.

Gray replied to Hill's speech. He said the committee had come to the conclusion that for the present the end in view could be better promoted by secret sessions.

Victims of the Late Railway Accident.

Pueblo, Colo., June 2.—Three more bodies of victims of the late railway accident were found this morning. The list of missing is increasing. Railroad traffic throughout the state is being resumed.

Drowned by a Cloud-Burst

Durango, Mexico, June 2.—Yesterday ten charcoal burners were drowned in a flood caused by a cloud burst in the Sierra Madre.

Palaces of the Incas.

The palaces of the Incas and homes of the nobles were large and commodious, yet remarkably simple in their exterior construction, having no columns, cornices, or other ornamentation. Interiorly they were divided into large apartments and small chambers. The large rooms communicated with one another by intermediate doors, and also, like the smaller ones, opened on a yard or a corridor that surrounded the building. Numerous windows afforded light and ventilation to the large apartments. The walls were elaborately finished in polished marble and other stones, in some cases beautifully carved and decorated with ornaments of precious metal. Niches finished with fancy mouldings were made to contain gold and silver figures of men and animals. In humble dwellings the floor was merely levelled and stamped earth, but the fine residences had marble floors of various colors, sometimes with inlaid plates of gold and silver. The doors of large houses generally faced towards the east, were lofty and wide, and usually shaped like those of Egyptian temples.

Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco Has No Equal Have You Tried It?

WATCHED THEM DIE.

An Appalling Narrative of the Fraser Flood.

A WHOLE FAMILY PERISH IN AGONY

Bound to a Flimsy Raft—One by One His Loved Ones Die Before Their Father's Eyes—The Raft of Death Found Tossing Upon the River.

Vancouver, June 2.—Flood-bound passengers who arrived to-day bring alarming stories of the flood. They say the track cannot be repaired for a week, so extensive is the damage at Ruby creek.

It is said that a raft was found with five bodies tied to it, a man and his wife and three children. Evidently the father, despairing of getting assistance, tied his beloved ones to the improvised raft, and watched them die one by one before his eyes.

A greater number of cattle than at first thought have perished.

The half has not been told.

Mission City, June 1.—Since yesterday the water has risen nearly six inches at the railway bridge and more than a foot a short distance below, where the dyke is now covered in several places. The rush of water is rapidly increasing the gaps, and a great number of cattle, being part of the herds of the flood-driven settlers, are gathered upon the narrow strip of dry land along the top of the dyke, where the short turf and branches of small trees adjoining afford very scanty pasturage.

Each day's steamer removes a few of the cattle, but the process has been very slow, and the removal was only completed to-day.

On the railroad the situation remains much the same. Nothing can be done to repair the worst breaks in the Whatcom line until the flood abates. A close watch is still kept on the bridge, for its piers are made of piles more than seventy feet long, and the pressure of drifting trees carried against the piers is something tremendous.

The tug Constance is employed above the bridge, meeting the largest trees above the bridge and towing them to such a position that they will pass the piers. On the main line of the C. P. R. a large force of repairers is at work, as well as at Hatzic prairie, where there is danger of a washout. Last year the C. P. R. proposed to form a dyke by filling in the high trestel about half a mile long, and persons whose lands would thus be protected made liberal contributions towards the work. The telegraph as well as the railway line has suffered at Hatzic, poles along the embankment being washed away, carrying the line into the water, from which it has now been hoisted a few feet by means of temporary supports. The line between here and Wharnock, ten miles nearer Vancouver, is passable, but not in good condition, and it has been determined to make Wharnock the terminus of the river service, which must be kept up for many days, if not for some weeks, between there and a point a few miles above, Ruby creek (eighty-five miles from Vancouver), being the western limit of through traffic, pending the construction of a bridge to replace that at Agassiz, which has been carried away.

Instructions await the steamer Transfer here to land passengers at Wharnock and go back to Ruby creek without delay, taking the east bound mails and passengers brought from Vancouver on a special train, which will take those brought down on their journey towards the coast.

A construction gang has been at work at Wharnock to-day building a good landing and other requisites for the terminal point, which it has so unexpectedly become.

Westminster, June 1.—At high tide this mornig the Fraser river at this city registered one inch higher than yesterday, and the water is still rising, though less rapidly than two days ago. No steamer arrived from the flooded district to-day, and the wires being badly disorganized little information concerning the situation could be obtained. The rescue of settlers and their stock is still going on.

A dispatch from Mission says the water rose three inches at that point last night and things are growing worse there. The water rose four inches at Langley last night. For some distance west of Harrison the water covers the track to a depth of nearly three feet, and trains cannot travel through it.

E. Greyell came down from Chilliwack last night, and reports the condition of things along the river as most lamentable. The damage in Chilliwack municipality was not serious until Wednesday, when Hope slough dam broke and the water poured over and inundated some of the finest farms in the valley. The grain and root crops are destroyed. Mr. Greyell places his own loss at between $1,000 and $1,700, and does not think $100,000 would cover the damage done in Chilliwack municipality alone. The area of grain destroyed could be counted by the thousands of acres.

A dispatch from Matsqui says the water there rose a foot since yesterday. The railroad is under water all the way from Mission to Maclure's, and much damage has been done. The fences have all been washed away, and the water is now within a foot of the top of the telegraph poles and rising fast. There is no way to get news, as all the people are cut off by water and no boats are to be had.

Vancouver, June 1.—Owing to the beef famine here Mr. McIntosh wired Ottawa via Seattle, and has obtained the following reply:

"Ottawa, June 1.—On Mr. Corbould's representations, owing to the beef famine in British Columbia caused by the suspension of railway communication, the government has passed an order in council permitting the importation of cattle into the province from the United States, to be slaughtered immediately on arrival at the boundary."

The latest reports are: The river is still rising; previous trains cancelled; the first train for the east leaves to-morrow.

At Matsqui the waves were washing over the telegraph wires to-day. Several more washouts are reported in Matsqui district. The flood-bound passengers east of the break arrived at Mission to-night, and will be brought down with the mails to-morrow. The C. P. R. loss so far is estimated at one million dollars.

New Westminster, June 1.—If the railway service is not resumed within a few days the city will be experiencing a meat famine. The meat supply at present is not large enough to last beyond the middle of next week.

The steamer Rithet arrived from Victoria at 2 o'clock this morning. She was detained several hours in Plumper's Pass yesterday by the heavy weather in the gulf. On her way up river she struck two snags opposite Annieville cannery. The drift got tangled up in her wheel, and she drifted down to Ewen's cannery before getting clear. The contact with the snags broke several paddles of her wheel, and she was undergoing repairs all day. To-night she left for up river.

New Westminster, June 2.—The 1882 mark has been reached and passed by the Fraser flood during the past twenty-four hours. Opposite the city at high tide this morning the water rose two inches above the 1882 line and the flooring of several wharves was covered and the streets in the "swamp" are now submerged. The water rose over the C. P. R. track at Sapperton, and the crossing of the Brunette bridge being considered unsafe, the local train has been taken to Vancouver where it will remain until the water recedes.

The rise is steady along the river. Matsqui and Chilliwack are without telegraph service, the wires being submerged.

The first passengers from the east arrived by the steamer Transfer from Katz Landing this morning. They report terrible damage along the line of the C.P.R. and it is asserted that one million dollars will not put the line in its old condition again.

Since the two trains reached Yale yesterday, another washout occurred three miles east of Yale, which carried away a trestle 350 feet along and the roadbed is hourly sustaining fresh damage. Passengers by the second train will reach here to-morrow, but there is no telling when another train can get through. The Rithet went up to Katz Landing last evening to bring down passengers and mails from the second train.

William Teague, of Yale, was one of the Transfer's passengers. He reports six miles of the old Cariboo road under water east of Yale, and every bridge washed away, including Boston Bar bridge 300 feet long. One end of the suspension bridge at Spuzzum was wrecked and the structure could not stand many hours more when last heard from. Such damage has never been done before says Mr. Teague. The water at Yale at noon yesterday was 25 inches above the 1882 mark, and rising an inch an hour.

S. Tingley of Ashcroft was another passenger. He says there is sleighing yet between Soda Creek and Barkerville with the snow melting fast and the rivers rising rapidly.

Col. Baker arrived in Westminster this morning and went up river this afternoon in a tug to see about relieving settlers. Thomas Cunningham came down from Dewdney to-day. He went up on Tuesday and took in all the flooded district. He blames the government for not rendering more prompt assistance. If this had been done at once much more property might have been saved. He says the water has done about all the damage it can.

MOST GHASTLY.

How Two Hundred of Ezeta's Soldiers Met Death Near San Salvador.

Rebel Cavalry Tear Up Railway Track and Military Train is Wrecked.

San Francisco, June 2.—Particulars have reached here showing that the 200 persons alleged to have been killed in one of the preliminary battles near Santa Ana, in the revolution now raging in Salvador, were not slaughtered by bullet, sword or shell, but were the victims of the most horrible railroad accident on record.

On the 3rd ult. President Barlos Ezeta, having received a request from his brother, Antonio Ezeta, at Santa Ana, for reinforcements, set out by special train from the city of San Salvador, accompanied by 1,500 picked troops, for the purpose of relieving the general. In the meantime Preza, the rebel general, having heard of the approach of these troops, dispatched several companies of cavalry to intercept them and tear up the permanent way of the railway. This they did, commencing work at dusk and then returning to camp. In the meantime the train bearing Ezeta's forces came on at a high rate of speed, and on reaching the spot where the track was torn up the engine and eight cars were completely wrecked.

Several cars caught fire and the imprisoned soldiers were roasted to death. The scene throughout the night was heartrending, and when the day dawned it was found 200 men were dead or missing and 122 wounded. Ezeta and the remnant of his band were therefore compelled to return to San Salvador without accomplishing their object.

American.

Golden, Colo., June 2.—A. C. McCardy, white, was taken from the jail this morning and lynched. His crime was the mutilation of his brother for illicit relations with his wife.

SHATTERED HOPES.

The Royalist Party of the Hawaiian Islands

ARE RAPIDLY BEGINNING TO DESPOND

Every Mail Increases Their Chagrin—Public Confidence Has Been Restored—Everything is Now Quiet in the Islands—Work at Pearl Harbor Naval Station Proceeding.

San Francisco, June 2.—The United Press correspondent at Honolulu, writing under date of May 26th, by the steamer Australia, which arrived this morning, says:

"Affairs continue quiet. The constitutional convention will meet in four days. Prospects of early consolidation of government upon fixed constitutional basis has developed a marked increase of public confidence, such as has not existed since the provisional government was formed. The natives are possessed with the idea that President Cleveland intends to carry out his former proposal to restore the queen.

On the arrival of the Australia on the 26th a large crowd of royalist natives assembled on the wharf to welcome the expected orders for the restoration. Although the majority of the natives prefer monarchy they are expected to acquiesce passively in the new order when they find all their rights and privileges undisturbed. There are no indications that the royalists have any scheme of active resistance to the government, or to its new constitution when proclaimed, and royalist organs betray a despondent tone.

A force from the flagship Philadelphia is continuing boring on Pearl Harbor bar.

Admiral Wilkes has been negotiating with the owner for lands on Ford's Island and Waipoi peninsula for the use of the intended naval station. There are indications that he intends to commence active operations on the bar very soon.

The coasting steamer Iwalani was dispatched at 5 p.m. yesterday by this government to take formal possession of and raise the Hawaiian flag on Neckar Island, 400 miles west northwest of Honolulu, and properly belonging to this group. H. M. S. Champion sailed two hours later, it is believed on a like errand, to hoist the British flag on the same island. She had given out that she was going out for target practice, but headed westward, which was an unusual direction to take for that purpose. Her leisurely movement indicated that she did not suspect the Iwalani's errand, or there may be a sharp race between the two vessels. The cause of the Iwalani's despatch was as follows:

An English engineer named Gardner arrived her on the 24th by the Warrimoo from Victoria with the British vice-consul. He wishes the government to survey and examine charts of a chain of islands and reefs extending 1200 west-northwest of this group. From various remarks made it was gathered that Neckar Island was selected as the station for landing the proposed cable from Sydney to Vancouver, and that England would take possession of it for that purpose. Information was immediately given to the foreign office. Steps were at once taken to anticipate British action and to assert the sovereignty of Hawaii over Neckar Island.

Fortunately the Iwalani came in early next morning from the west and could return in the same direction without suspicion. Her cargo was hurriedly discharged, and coal for ten days was put aboard. The minister of the interior himself took command and is already well on his way there to hoist the Hawaiian flag unless the Champion beats him in the race.

This government considered it important to themselves and due to their relations with the United States to assert possession promptly. In view of the United States possession of Pearl Harbor, a cable station owned by Great Britain in the near vicinity might prove very objectionable in time of war.

President Dole of Hawaii, replying to Walter G. Smith, who had sent him a communication from Secretary Humphrey, of the National Republican League of the United States, suggesting a delegation of ten to speak for the Hawaiian policy of annexation before the league convention soon to be held at Denver, says that it would be unwise for the provisional government or political organizations which support it to become identified with any political party in the United States, when all contain friends and advocates of the annexation policy.

"Our request for political union with the United States," said President Dole, "is to the whole American people, and it is not for us to encourage any tendency that may exist to make a party matter of it."

THE DOMINION CAPITAL.

The Coal Tariff—Reciprocal Egg Duties—Kootenay Judge.

Ottawa, June 2.—The coal item in the tariff passed to-day. The duty on bituminous coal remains at 60 cents a ton.

Sir John Thompson's proposal for the appointment of a new judge for the Kootenay district passed the house to-day.

The duty on eggs has been made reciprocal, five cents per dozen, but when they are admitted free in the States the duty will be removed.

General News.

Yokohama, June 2.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Steamship Empress of China arrived hear from Victoria last Sunday afternoon.

Berlin, June 2.—Karl Sieger and his wife this morning poisoned their two sons and then hanged their daughter and themselves.

PERUGINI'S PERFIDY.

Miss Lillian Russell's Version of the Family Jar.

New York, May 31.—The Rialto quivered with excitement to-day after it had read and read again the version given by Miss Lillian Russell, of the infelicities of her honeymoon with Perugini.

At Miss Russell's handsome house, at 318 West Seventy-Seventh street, her sister declared that the singer had positively nothing to add to her formal letter, but before this Miss Russell had made the following significant statements:

"I am astonished that none of my friends said anything in any way warning me against this wedding. They all say to me now: 'Ah, I knew he was not the man for you,' but none of them thought enough of me to warn me before this miserable wedding took place. Oh! I declare it's wicked!"

Both Miss Russell and Miss Marie Dressler assert that Perugini was in the habit of organizing cliques for the purpose of annoying his wife during performances of "Girofle." Miss Dressler says he established those cliques both in Williamsburg and in Newark, and that they became so great a nuisance that Miss Russell refused to respond to encores. It leaked out to-day that after the violent scene in the hotel Stenton in Philadelphia, during which her husband seized her by the throat, Miss Russell sent for her sister, Miss Hattie Leonard, to remain with her and protect her against Perugini. Miss Leonard remained until her company went to Boston. The trouble then seemed over. Miss Russell wrote her in a hopeful vein from Boston, saying that Perugini seemed very happy.

Miss Marie Dressler to-night supplied some interesting data concerning the period of bliss preceding the wedding. This said that during the engagement Miss Russell made many presents of jewelry to Perugini. She gave him, among other things, two diamond horseshoe scarfpins and two diamond rings, one a celebrated oval diamond solitaire worth several thousand dollars. It is positively asserted by Miss Dressler and other members of the company that since the separation Perugini had not returned any of these presents with the exception of a plain gold wedding ring.

SENT TO SIBERIA.

Awful Sentence Passed Upon Five Russian Forgers.

St. Petersburg, May 31.—A sensational will case that has been before the courts here ended to-day in the conviction on a charge of forgery of Count Sollogoub and four other persons, including two lawyers.

Some time ago a wealthy man named Vladimir Cribalos died. Shortly afterwards a document purporting to be his will was offered for probate. According to the terms of the will the sum of 1,100,000 rubles was bequeathed to Mme. Cribalos and Count Sollogoub, who is a grandson of the celebrated Russian writer of that name.

It was suspected that the will was not genuine, and the matter was carried to court, with the result above stated. Five of the convicted persons were sentenced to banishment to Siberia. Count Sollogoub's young son, who was a military officer, shot himself dead when he heard the sentence imposed on his father.

FOUGHT A DUEL.

Two Bean-Eaters Successfully Make Asses of Themselves.

Boston, May 31.—Shortly after nine o'clock to-night three hacks left the Hotel Reynolds for Roxbury. They contained two duellists and their seconds, and a referee and attendants.

One of the principals was a young lawyer named Crowley, having an office in the Adams building, and the other was a young newspaper man named Delos F. Goldsmith.

The men hve been enemies for some time, having fallen in love with the same girl. Some months ago the arrangements for a duel were completed. Both men are reported to be experts with the foils, and it was agreed that they should settle their quarrel with sharp foils. Accordingly the party proceeded to an open field in the three hacks, and under the rays of a gaslamp fought until Crowley fell into the arms of his seconds.

The seconds for Goldsmith were Forrest Cook and Joseph Bundy, and for Crowley Ambrose Lambert and a man named Grover. The referee was a man named Toomey, and the party were accompanied by a young divinity student named Vincent.

Upon arriving on the field of battle both principals stripped to the waist and faced each other. The seconds had previously attended to all details.

The men for a few minutes feinted so well that neither was injured, and it looked to the seconds as though the battle would be a lengthy one, when Goldsmith by a quick lunge which Crowley failed to parry drew first blood.

After battling for fifteen minutes, during which time both men were wounded, Crowley fell and was caught in the arms of his seconds.

ROMULUS AFTER SANDOW.

A Sicilian Giant Who Seeks Eugene's Golden Bangs.

San Francisco, May 31.—Now that Sandow has fully recovered from his herculean battle with Boone's lion, he will have plenty of time to contemplate a meeting with a foeman more worthy of his steel. His offer of $10,000 to any one who could duplicate his feats, which, together with his cheque for that amount, was sent to the New York Herald, has resulted in the discovery of a new and promising strong man, whose history is printed in that paper. He is called Romulus, and hails from Palermo, in sunny Sicily. Scarcely 5 feet 7 and only 24 years old, he is deep chested and muscled like a gladiator of ancient Rome. He is also, what may interest the ladies, remarkably good looking.

Two weeks ago Romulus arrived in New York and met an old friend in Atilla, another strong man. Since that time he has been on view to a number of people interested in athletics, and the experts were more than astonished at his wonderful muscular development.

When he first heard of Sandow's $10,000 cheque he expanded his biceps and said: "With all this money in sight I must make a try for it. They say I am very strong, no wonder. I hope I am."

Romulus first appeared in London three years ago, and at that time endeavored to meet Sandow in competition. The latter paid no attention to his proposition, and since then the Italian has felt aggrieved. Now his time has come, he says, and when he does meet Sandow he will do his best to show himself the stronger.

Some idea of this young athlete may be obtained from his principal measurements, which are: Biceps, 17 1-2 inches; forearm, 14 1-2 inches; chest, 46 inches; weight, 160 pounds. These, however, are considerably below those of the mighty German.

WASHINGTON WIRINGS.

Senate Adopts Turpie's Hawaiian Resolution—Cruiser Columbia Aground.

Washington, May 31.—The senate today unanimously adopted Turpie's Hawaiian resolution, 55 senators voting for it. Mills did not vote. He explained that the resolution did not meet his approval, although he would not vote against it. Believing that this government had overthrown the existing government of Hawaii, he thought it the duty of the United States to tear down the oligarchy set up in its name. The resolution is as follows:

"Resolved, by the senate of the United States, that it belongs wholly to the people of the Hawaiian Islands to establish and maintain its own form of government and domestic policy; that the United States ought not in any way to interfere therewith, and that interference with the political affairs of those islands by any other government will be regarded as an act unfriendly to the United States."

The new cruiser Columbia was run aground last night and a great dent made in her side below the water line, possibly straining some of her ribs. She has been ordered into the drydock at League Island. A court martial may be the result.

The treasury statement will be issued to-morrow and shows that the expenditures for the fiscal year exceed the receipts by $62,000,000.

When the scalp is atrophied, or shiny-bald, no preparation will restore the hair; in all other cases, Hall's Hair Renewer will start a growth.

HAWAII'S FUTURE.

A Real Revolution Yet to Come, Says Spreckels.

New York, May 31.—Claus Spreckels sat in the lobby of the Waldorf to-day and talked about the future of Hawaii. He declared that the existing provisional government cannot last long. "As a matter of fact," he said, "the real revolution is yet to come. They called it a revolution when the Queen was dethroned, but it was all as quiet as a prayer meeting. When some time ago I suggested a republic they wanted to kill me. They demanded annexation to the United States and nothing else. Since then they have begged me to come back and help them arrange a republican form of government, but I have told them that they must now work out their own salvation.

"So far as I am concerned personally, I have been disposing of my interests on the islands as rapidly as I can to my sons and partners, and have practically retired from business there. Regarding the tariff on sugar, I have no opinion to express; at least none satisfactory to myself."

Mr. Spreckels, accompanied by Mrs. Spreckels and their daughter, will sail on the Paris for Europe on Wednesday.

Directions for Colic in Horses.

Contents of small bottle of Pain-Killer in quart bottle, add pint of warm or cold water, sweeten with molasses, shake well until all mixed, and drench well. Give about half at once, then balance in ten or 15 minutes, if first dose is not sufficient. This will be found a never-failing remedy. 25 cents for a large bottle.

General News.

London, May 31.—Fifteen hundred men of all arms and five hundred horses took part in the opening of the royal military tournament at the Royal Agricultural hall. The Prince of Wales and a party of friends were present at the opening exercises.

London, May 31.—Heavy storms are reported to-day from many points along the south of England coast. Much wreckage has been washed ashore at Ilfracombe. The grain crops and fruits in the land have been badly damaged.

Off Freamp, northern France, two vessels have been wrecked. A sailor was swept off the deck of a vessel at Boulogne.

London, May 31.—A dispatch from Paris to the Standard says that the report of the Panama Canal Company, just filed, recommends the payment of annuities to De Lesseps and each member of his family.

Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco is the Best Value.

"Montserrat."

If you don't know what it is
ask your grocer to give you the
best **Lime Fruit Juice** that is made,
and you are sure to find "Montserrat"
on the bottle.

Pains in the Joints

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By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, 23rd January, 1894.

NOTICE.

The Public Library and Reading Room, City Hall, will be closed during repairs until further notice.

By order,
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City Clerk's office, Victoria, B. C., April 23, 1894.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for a transfer to Cora E. Tugwell of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the "Prince of Wales" Saloon, situate on the corner of Government and Cormorant street, in the city of Victoria.

JOSEPH MEUNIER.

Victoria, B.C., February 15th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at the sittings of the Board to be held in June, 1894, for a license to sell by retail wine, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors in and upon the part known as the basement of the building situate upon lots ten (10) and eleven (11), block seventy-seven (77), Victoria City, the Board of Trade Building.

WM. JENSEN.

Dated Victoria, B.C., May 7th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I shall apply for a transfer of my license to sell wines and liquors by retail at Colonial Hotel, Johnson street to John Slater.

THOS. TUGWELL.

Victoria, B. C., 9th May, 1894.

NOTICE.

COMPETITIVE PLANS

and Estimates of Cost for the Construction of a Permanent Roadway across James Bay on the line of Government St. between Humboldt street and Belleville street, will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before the 1st day of July, 1894.

Plan and profile of sight and particulars of competition may be seen at the office of the City Engineer.

Awards—1st prize, $350; 2nd prize, $150.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., April 26, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC.

It having been rumored that merchant tailoring firms in Victoria are employing Chinese labor in competition with white labor during these depressed times, we, the undersigned, after making a thorough investigation, are aware that the practice is not general, and we beg to inform the public that we do not and will not employ Chinese labor in the manufacture of our goods.

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11 45 pm	Lv	Pt. Townsend		Lv	1 30 pm
3 00 am	Lv	...Seattle...		Lv	10 15 am
4 45 am	Ar	...Tacoma...		Lv	8 00 am

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Taking effect November 1st, 1893.

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Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday at 13:15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going east Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney, Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leave New Westminster for Victoria, Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender Island and Sidney, Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Ft. Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO 19.

To Take Effect at 8.00 a.m. on Thursday October 12th, 1893.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

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ON FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter good for return not later than Sunday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for seven days, including day of issue.

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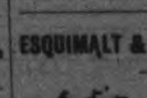

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J. E. BUTLER, Master.

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Leave Victoria ....Tuesday 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Comox ....Wednesday 7 a.m.
Returning same day.
" Comox for Nanaimo ....Friday 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria ....Saturday 7 a.m.

Trips to Valdes Island and discontinued.

For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's Ticket Office, Victoria Station, Store Street.

TO THE ELECTORS

—OF—

Victoria City Electoral Districts

Gentlemen:—The general election now being near at hand, and being a candidate for re-election, I wish to place my views on some of the questions commanding your attention, as well as to intimate the line of action which I shall take and the measures which I shall, if opportunity permits, support and maintain.

The party now in power have practically held office for over eleven years. Their policy has been an indefinite one on many of the questions requiring consideration. At the last general election the Opposition advocated reform in the land laws of the province, and have been able to make some important changes.

The privilege of allowing speculators and non-residents to take up large tracts of land has been taken away and the lands are now available for actual settlers.

By the efforts of the Opposition the assessment of wild land has been much improved; the ad valorem principle of assessment according to the land value, is now the law.

There are two essential matters yet to be carried out in connection with the encouraging of agriculture settlers. First, the surveying of available lands for such a purpose and giving the necessary information by the Lands and Works Department; second, the making of roads to such settlements, so that the farmer may be able to bring his produce to market—such a policy as this must be adopted in order to develop and encourage the farming industry of our province. By so doing we shall add much to our wealth and prosperity.

The railway policy of the Government has not been a business-like one. From the time of the grant given to the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway down to the Nakusp & Slocan deal, the interests of the province and the welfare of the people have not been well guarded. On the one hand a corporation receives a large subsidy and an immense tract of land, free from taxation for ever; on the other, a private company is subsidized by guaranteeing the bonds to the full cost of the road as well as interest on the same for twenty-five years. One cannot but come to the conclusion that a Government policy of such character is likely to bring the credit of the province into disrepute.

Monopolies of any kind are to be deplored, but monopolies backed by Government aid and support are often the most difficult to overcome. Government aid to such an extent as has been given in the instances referred to, precludes other roads from being assisted or built. As an instance of this we recognize the difficulty the British Pacific Railway will have in dealing with the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway and its existing rights. Thus by the action of the present Government in the past it looks as if the province were at the mercy of ringsters and monopolists who are despoiling the people of their heritage.

I am opposed to the executive using its power to make large appropriations of money by special warrant for roads, streets, bridges, and public works, without first submitting such to the legislature. Such a course of action leads to favoritism and corruption and is not in accord with the principles of constitutional government.

I have advocated, and will continue to do so, the reduction of taxation on improvements and the abolition of taxes on mortgages. The latter impost presses doubly hard upon the borrower, and the appeal of this law would be in the interest and for the advancement of the province.

The practice followed on the eve of a general election of promising aid to public works and institutions by members of the executive should be condemned, as it is attempting to bribe the electors with their own money. The independent electors should answer this by sending men to the Legislature who will do their utmost to remove such ministers from power.

During the past four years legislation has been brought about, chiefly by the Opposition, in reforming the School Law. The residents of the cities have now greater power over the management of their schools, and more is yet desired in this particular. I shall use my best endeavors to bring this about, so that our schools may be free of all political influences.

I have also advocated further restriction on Chinese immigration and the employment of Chinese by any company seeking charters or grants from the Legislature. I have advocated and still maintain that a clause should be inserted in all bills giving such privileges or aid to prevent the employment of this class of labor.

I also have advocated the necessity of employing residents of the province instead of non-residents or foreigners in the prosecution of all works or contracts let by the government.

It is impossible in an address of this kind to touch on all questions affecting the province. I hope, however, before long to have the opportunity of addressing the electors in public meeting, at which time I will refer to matters more extensively.

Hoping that my past record as a representative in the Local Legislature has been acceptable to you, I again seek your votes and support.

I remain, yours respectfully,

G. L. MILNE.

UNDERGROUND RAILWAY.

The One in Paris Will be Tubular and Lighted by Electricity.

Paris is at length to have a line of underground railway. Those who may be surprised that the citizens of the gay capital have had so long to wait for this convenience may be informed that the obstacles have hitherto proceeded from the government and the municipal council, and the tardy removal of the difficulty is due to the incessant growth of the street traffic. The Ceinture railway, which connects all the termini, did something to relieve the congestion, but it is now admitted by the minister of public works that fresh routes must be formed by burrowing in the earth, and he will urge upon parliament the adoption of the plans laid before them. One rigorous stipulation is that stations must, for the most part be below the surface.

On the Grand Central route, which is planned from the Bois de Boulogne to Vinciennes, there will be one or two visible stations with architectural pretensions, but that near the Arc de Triomphe will be only a kiosk-like structure. This line is intended to be tubular, and to have an almost perfect straight length of about seven miles from east to west. Additional lines, as in London, will be cut in various directions, with the purpose of ultimately establishing a complete system of links.

But perhaps the most satisfactory part of the announcement is that the lighting and the motive power will be produced by electricity. There will be no darkness anywhere, but ample illumination everywhere, and trains between the Bois de Boulogne and Vincennes, similar in character to those of the Liverpool overhead railway, will run every two minutes at a uniform price for any distance.—Liverpool Mercury.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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AMERICAN NEWS NOTES.

Daily Chronicle of the Events of the Great Republic.

Detroit, Mich., May 31.—The Detroit Free Press has just passed its 63rd annual milestone in its career and issued to-day a mammoth edition as a souvenir of the event and the fact that it has moved into its new building on Lafayette avenue.

Fonda, N. Y., May 31.—W. J. Arkell has just placed an order for a naphtha yacht 72 feet long and guaranteed to make 35 miles an hour. The yacht will contest against all comers in any waters, and the first challenge will be in March with Richard K. Fox's new yacht for several thousand dollars, to be paid to some New York charity.

Waukegan, Ill., May 31.—An unusual wedding took place here, when Lyman Palmer, aged 75, of New Orleans, was married to-day to Mrs. Mary Palmer, aged 75, of this city. They have both been married three times, and in spite of this the bride has never changed her name, all her husbands being Palmers. This last one is a nephew of her first husband.

Detroit, Mich., May 31.—After the terrible rainstorm of yesterday afternoon when tender vegetation of all sorts was beaten into the gound, the mercury began to drop, and before morning was below Freezing point in nearly every part of Michigan's lower peninsula. Water was frozen to a thickness of an eight of an inch in many places.

JENNIE'S BRAVE DEED.

A Little Indiana Girl's Heroic Action Duly Rewarded.

Indianapolis, May 31.—The medal presented by the French government bearing the insignia of the Legion of Honor has been presented to Jennie Creek, a little ten-year-old girl of Alford, Blackford County, for saving a trainload of World's Fair passengers on the Panhandle railroad last summer.

While walking along the track she discovered that the trestle across a deep ravine was on fire, and the World's Fair express with several hundred passengers on board, was nearly due.

With remarkable presence of mind the little girl tore off her red flannel petticoat, ran down the track until she came in sight of the approaching train and waved her skirt as a danger signal.

A number of French passengers were aboard the train. They called the attention of the French World's Fair commissioner to the incident, and he in turn laid it before President Carnot, who at once ordered a medal of the Legion of Honor, which is given only in recognition of acts of heroism.

SENTENCED TO EXILE.

President Vicuna of Chile Must Remain Away for Fifteen Years.

Valparaiso, May 31.—Senor Don Claudio Vicuna, who was elected to succeed Balmaceda as president of Chile, was to-day sentenced in the court at San Diego to 15 years' exile.

The commission on commerce to-day conferred with the minister of finance, and as a result of the conference all import duties will be paid in currency. The government has determined to guarantee the bank's issue.

Senor Don Claudio Vicuna, referred to in the above dispatch, was an ardent adherent of Balmaceda and was elected on June 27, 1891, to the presidency. Upon the overthrow of the Balmacedan government Vicuna escaped to the United States, and in November he established headquarters in Paris.

Senor Vicuna and his friends assembled in Uruguay in 1892, and issued a manifesto and later on they concocted a plot to burn Santiago. They were betrayed by a servant and their plot failed. The conspirators, in December, 1892, escaped to Europe from Buenos Ayres, but Senor Vicuna recently returned to Chile in belief that amnesty had been extended to the Balmacedists.

ANGLO-SAXON BLOOD.

Admiral Hopkins Descants upon the Great English Family.

Boston, May 30.—The British man-of-war Blake and Tartar sailed to-day, the former for Bar Harbor and the latter for St. John's, N. B. Admiral Hopkins said:

"There have been misunderstandings in the past between England and America that were as natural in the course of events as feeling between father and son. There are separate households, but blood is pretty thick in Anglo-Saxon veins, and while with you I have tried to show in my small way that we are your brothers who come from the land where your fathers were born.

"From the hour of American independence the life of the English-speaking people has flowed, not in one current, but in two; and while the older has shown but little signs of lessening, the younger has fast risen to a greatness which has changed the face of the world. It is already the main branch of the English people, and in days that are at hand the main current of that people's history must run along the channels, not of the Thames and the Mersey, but of the Hudson and the Mississippi.

"But, distinct as these currents are, every year proves more clearly that the English people are one. It is possible that the two branches of the English people will maintain forever separate political existences. It is likely, though, that the older of them may again break in twain and that the English in the Pacific may assert as distinct a national life as the two English peoples on either side of the Atlantic."

ANYTHING HE WANTED.

Millionaire Sutro Squares off to Fight Railway Magnate Haley.

San Francisco, May 31.—At the meeting yesterday between Mr. Sutro and the representatives of the Southern Pacific railway in regard to the Cliff House dispute, there was nearly a personal encounter between the principals.

As Mr. Sutro specified the terms of the proposed line he was occasionally greeted with sneers and slighting references by J. J. Haley, who represents the interests of the Southern Pacific company and the Market Street Railway company. Turning incidentally to his library site, Mr. Sutro said that for four years he had been trying to get the railway company to grant a slight concession that would hasten the construction of the building. "But," he continued, "the railway company has broken every promise it made me."

"That's not so," snapped Mr. Haley. "The railway company never breaks its word."

"I know it does," rejoined the Cliff House magnate. "You people are noted as a set of infernal rascals and robbers, and you are nothing but a flunkey!"

"I'm not going to be insulted in that way!" exclaimed Mr. Haley, as his face flushed with anger, and then he continued to mumble some angered response.

"You can have anything you want!" was Mr. Sutro's remark as he half rose from his chair and confronted the Southern Pacific man.

Supervisor Denman grabbed Mr. Sutro's coat tail and hung on. Chairman Day rapped for silence, and the sergeant-at-arms thundered: "You'll have to preserve order, Mr. Sutro."

Mr. Haley was nerveless and pale with emotion, and the promising encounter was averted when Mr. Day delivered a mild reprimand. Mr. Sutro then extended a fitting apology for his display of temper, and the subject of the franchise came up unruffled.

SPEEDY LOCOMOTIVES.

An English Engine's Wonderful Performances.

Much has been said of the new Big Four and other locomotives, but there is one that seems to eclipse everything on this side of the water when everything is considered.

"One of the London and Northwestern engines during the race to Scotland in 1888 covered the distance from Preston to Carlisle, ninety miles, in exactly ninety minutes, having a gradient of no less that one in seventy-five to climb between Tebay and Shah Summit.

"One of the most famous engines of this company is known as the 'Charles Dickens,' and runs daily from Manchester to London and back, a distance of 366 1-2 miles. Except when stopped for repairs the 'Charles Dickens' has, since February, 1882, made this journey every day, working up the 8:30 a.m. from Manchester and returning with the 4 p.m. from Euston.

"On September 12, 1891, it completed the two thousand six hundred and fifty-first trip, having accomplished the extraordinary feat of running one million miles in nine years and 219 days. No other engine in the world has run so many miles in a like period of time.

"Between these dates, in addition to the Manchester and London trips, 92 other journeys were made, and altogether 12,515 tons of coal were consumed. At the end of February, 1893, the total mileage run by the 'Charles Dickens' was 1,138,557."—Dallas News.

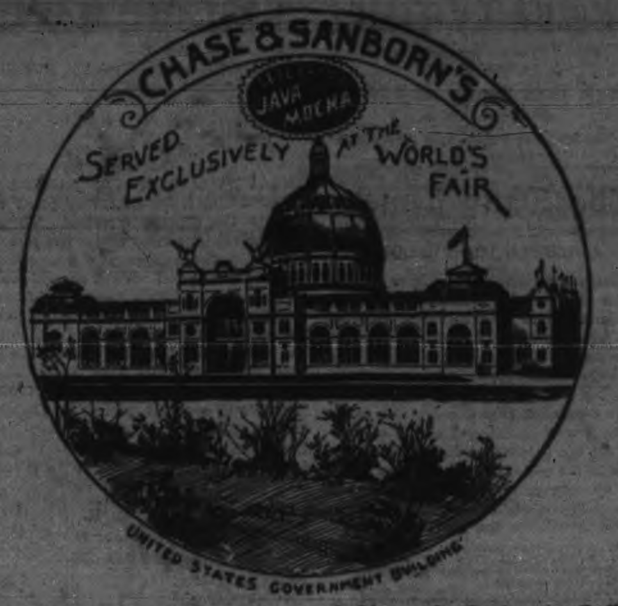
The Superiority of Hood's Sarsaparilla is due to the tremendous amount of brain work and constant care used in its preparation. Try one bottle and you will be convinced of its superiority. It purifies the blood which, the source of health, cures dyspepsia, overcomes sick headache and biliousness. It is just the medicine for you.

HOOD'S PILLS are purely vegetable, carefully prepared from the best ingredients.

It may not be generally known, but it is a fact nevertheless, that on an island off the Mosquito coast, Nicaragua, Central America, there is a species of ape very closely resembling the African gorilla, both in size and in its sunny disposition. How it came there is a matter of conjecture—for it departs unduly from the American monkey tribe.

It has been decided by an English judge that a maidservant cannot be discharged because she smokes in the kitchen. The kitchen is thus declared to be the castle of the cook.

A Boon to Horsemen.—One bottle of English Spavin Liniment completely removed a curb from my horse. I take pleasure in recommending the remedy, as it acts with mysterious promptness in the removal from horses of hard, soft or calloused lumps, blood spavin, splints, curbs, sweeny, stifles and sprains. George Robb, Farmer, Markham, Ont. Sold by Geo. Morrison.



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"Ayer's Cathartic Pills cured me of sick headache and my husband of neuralgia. We think there is

No Better Medicine,

and have induced many to use it."

"Thirty-five years ago this spring, I was run down by hard work and a succession of colds, which made me so feeble that it was an effort for me to walk. I consulted the doctors, but kept sinking lower until I had given up all hope of ever being better. Happening to be in a store, one day, where medicines were sold, the proprietor noticed my weak and sickly appearance, and, after a few questions as to my health, recommended me to try Ayer's Pills. I had little faith in these or any other medicine, but concluded, at last, to take his advice and try a box. Before I had used them all, I was very much better, and two boxes cured me. I am now 80 years old; but I believe that if it had not been for Ayer's Pills, I should have been in my grave long ago. I buy 4 boxes every year, which make 210 boxes up to this time, and I would no more be without them than without bread."—H. H. Ingraham, Rockland, Me.

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City of Victoria, British Columbia

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's office, Victoria, B. C., April 5th, 1894. ap5-td

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VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner of Douglas and Pandora streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

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The Daily Times.

A LITTLE TOO ZEALOUS.

Times and circumstances have changed since the Colonist denounced Attorney-General Davie as a liar and described the administration of the law under that gentleman's direction as a howling farce. Strange things happen in two years. Today the Colonist is so jealous of Mr. Davie's reputation that it takes care to explain that the gentleman acting as counsel for the prosecution in Dr. Morrison's case in the police court is not Mr. Davie the attorney-general but Mr. Arthur Davey of Mr. Walls' office. The Times reporter misspelled the name unintentionally, and very possibly some readers were misled thereby, as Mr. Davey the student is not so well known as Mr. Davie the attorney-general. We can understand the necessity for a correction in order that Mr. Davey may receive the credit to which he is entitled, but why the attorney-general or his servant the Colonist should attempt to show that the Times had "dishonestly endeavored to mislead" is quite a mystery. The Colonist editor did well to bury his editorial in an obscure column of the local columns. Why should Mr. Davie feel offended as to the mistake as to the identity of the counsel for Mr. Campbell? Are there cases taken up by other lawyers that Mr. Davie would not handle, and is this one of them? The Colonist, it will be seen, protests too much. Converts are proverbially over zealous.

THE SCHOOL SYSTEM.

In respect of school matters the worthy Colonist says: "Our belief is that the system as it was six years ago, before the opposition began its cabbling and was allowed to have its way, was better in almost every respect than it is now. In this we find we are in agreement with the Nanaimo wing of the opposition." It then quotes the declaration of the Nanaimo platform, with which it agrees, as follows: "That the government have full control of educational matters and schools, and do erect and maintain school houses and do pay the salaries of teachers and other officials connected therewith." On which this interesting comment is offered by the government organ: "We find that our Nanaimo neighbors look back with regret to the state of things which at the demand of the opposition has passed away. They wanted the change, and were continually complaining because they did not get it, and now that they have got what they desired the Nanaimo oppositionists, at any rate, are not satisfied. They want to go back to the good old way. In the matter of education the Nanaimo oppositionists are a good deal more than conservative—they are reactionary." There are two notable confessions in this. In the first place the Colonist puts itself in agreement with the Nanaimo oppositionists, whom it afterwards describes as "reactionary." This is an acknowledgement of its own character which we should hardly have expected of our neighbor. Then it openly admits that the changes brought about in the school system are due to the efforts of the opposition. With this responsibility the opposition are entirely satisfied, for they know that the changes are entirely acceptable to the people, however the reactionary Colonist may regard them.

THE FRANCHISE ACT.

According to our Ottawa dispatch, Sir John Thompson has decided on another change in the Dominion franchise act. It seems to us that the proper way to deal with this act is to repeal it and resort to the old practice of adopting the provincial lists for Dominion purposes, but failing this desirable uprooting of the present system any amendment proposed by the government to widen the franchise will be generally looked upon as a change in the right direction. The basis of representation in each province is to be adopted for the Dominion list in that province. Thus in British Columbia, Ontario and Prince Edward Island, where manhood suffrage prevails, the same suffrage will be adopted for the Dominion list. This step, while good as far as it goes, makes ridiculous the chief contention on which the franchise act was based, namely, that there should be a uniform franchise throughout the country for Dominion purposes. If manhood suffrage is to be the basis in one province, why not in all? If the premier's amendment had provided for manhood suffrage throughout, for a simple system of voluntary registration and for the adoption of the one-man-one-vote principle, there would have been something substantial in the proposal. Of course the objections would still have been left that the revision of the list entails a needless expense, and that under the act as it is administered elections are apt to be held on very old lists. Both these evils have shown themselves very markedly in the past, and we believe a great majority of the people would vote for a return to the old practice of adopting the lists drawn up for provincial purposes, which are certain of being comparatively fresh. And what good reason can be given for refusing to use the provincial lists if the provincial bases of representation are accepted? It is but fair to note, however, that the amendment may go further in this direction than is stated in the dispatch, which is a little obscure on this point. More detailed information on the subject will be awaited with interest, on account of the indications that a revision of the lists and a general election are among the possibilities of the near future.

SENATE AND FREE.

Few people would have expected the United States senate to change the tariff bill in the way of removing "protection;" rather would it have been supposed to lean in the opposite direction. Therefore the announcement that it has placed lumber on the free list comes as somewhat of a surprise. When the bill was under consideration on Thursday several amendments offered to a number of paragraphs, looking to a duty on rough lumber, were voted down by a strict party vote. Senator Allen then moved to strike out paragraph 178, as follows: "Lumber of any sort, planed or finished on each side, 50 cents per thousand feet board measure; planed on one side and tongued and grooved, $1 per thousand feet; planed on two sides and tongued and grooved, $1.50 per thousand feet. In estimating board measure under this schedule a deduction will be made on account of planing, grooving or tonguing." To the surprise of the Republicans, Senator Vest announced that the amendment would be accepted by the Democrats, and this was followed by the passing of the amendment on a vote of 35 to 24. Senator Peffer and the Populists voted with the Democrats. The effect of the amendment is to place lumber on the free list. It is by no means certain that the house will agree with this decision of the senate, but we should think it will be inclined to do so. In such case the removal of the duty on lumber on both sides of the line—for reciprocity in this matter—will have a decided effect on the lumber trade. It may be confidently expected, however, that Michigan, Wisconsin and Washington lumbermen will put forth their best efforts to keep the duty on.

BREAKING UP.

One Army of Commonwealers Which is Disbanding.

Fresno, Cal., May 31.—General Barker's regiment of the industrial army has broken up. Several complaints have been lodged against Barker and Mrs. Smith by individual members of the army for alleged misappropriation of funds. During the discussion Mrs. Smith ordered all who wished to stay with Barker to fall in. About two hundred obeyed and Barker immediately marched them to Malaga, five miles south of here, from which point they will be provided with teams and provisions by county officials to enable them to proceed further on their journey southward. During the course of last evening sixty malcontents left here, starting also for the south and there are now only about 40 industrials left in Fresno, who say they will resume their journey in a very short while.

WITH FELL INTENT.

Deadly Compound Intended for Mrs. Cora Palmer's Use.

Fresno, May 31.—Ninety-eight per cent. of croton oil and two per cent. of atropia—these are the deadly ingredients that compose the "medicine" that was left by a disguised messenger of assassins at the home of Mrs. Cora Palmer three weeks ago, with the injunction to the sick woman to take a "teaspoonful at once." Mrs. Palmer is one of the chief witnesses against Richard S. Heath, accused of the murder of Louis B. McWhirter in August of 1892.

The report of an analysis of the contents of the bottle was made by Chemist Wenzell of San Francisco. The grand jury is now advised of the contents of the bottle, but their knowledge does not appear to be of any present utility in aiding Sheriff Scott to track the wretches who attempted to shorten the few remaining days of this poor woman.

THE AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENT.

The Projected Pacific Cable and the Government of Samoa.

Melbourne, May 31.—The parliament opened to-day. The Earl of Hopetoun, the governor, said in his address that he rejoiced that the approaching colonial conference at Ottawa would consider not only trade relations existing between British colonies, but the projected Pacific cable, destined to unite the Australian colonies with Canada. It was desirable that the cable be entirely under British control. In regard to Samoa, he said that the supervision of the these islands by New Zealand would be really supervision by Great Britain, and it was desirable that New Zealand's offer should be accepted, not only on account of its commercial advantages, but because it was consonant with true Australian policy.

AGAINST THE CZAR.

A List of Aristocratic Lady Nihilists Discovered.

London, May 31.—The correspondent of the Daily News at Berlin sends to his paper further details of the revolutionary plot discovered at St. Petersburg. He says fifty boxes of dynamite and numerous bombs were discovered in the coal bunkers of a steamer. The residence of the Baroness Marikoff was searched and a list of aristocratic lady nihilists were found. A female medical student, who was one of the suspects, was dragged naked from her bed by the police and taken towards the police station. She escaped from her captors, jumped into the Neva and was drowned. All the chefs at the imperial palace have been dismissed, owing to the fears that they would attempt to poison the food.

MR. COTTON'S APPEAL.

It Is Dismissed by the Divisional Court With Costs.

Vancouver, June 1.—The divisional court sat to-day in the Cotton appeal case, Justices Drake, Walkem and McCreight presiding. The appeal was dismissed with costs.

Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco Has No Equal Have You Tried It?

MILLIONS IN IT.

Discovery of a New Oil That Will Revolutionize the Trade.

Chicago, May 31.—Alexander W. Winter, a specialist in lard and oil refining of this city, has patented a process for refining mineral and vegetable oils, which, it is claimed, will revolutionize the manufacture of butterine, oleomargarine, compound lard and other imitation products of the packing houses. It is expected by the owners that the new oil will enter into competition with the cotton and cotton-seed oil industries and prove another bonanza to the producers of petroleum.

The owners of the patent refused an offer of $2,000,000 for their rights. The oil is perfectly clear, white and odorless, and in this lies the importance it bears to the cotton-seed oil industry. Under the present system packers are compelled to contract for the oil in the summer, before the cotton is pressed, then carry thousands of gallons in tanks, refining and deodorizing it as demanded.

By the new process it is claimed a packer need not carry a barrel in stock, but order the stuff when ready to use it.

At present over 100,000,000 gallons of cotton-seed oil, quoted at 35 cents, are used in this country annually, and the new oil is intended to replace it. Arrangements have already been made for the production of 80,000,000 gallons annually, making a difference of $25,000,000 to the Standard Oil Company alone, and the latter is putting in machinery costing $500,000 for the new process. The holders of the patent are not bound to any one oil interest, but can work with the independent companies as well as the Standard. The new oil can be produced at a much less cost than cotton-seed oil.

CHAPLIN ON SILVER.

His Views Applauded by a Large and Intelligent Audience.

Edinburgh, May 31.—The Right Hon. Henry Chaplin, Conservative president of the board of agriculture in Lord Salisbury's government, delivered an address yesterday to a crowded conference of husbandry on the subject, "Bimetallism in Relation to the Agricultural Depression."

The speaker declared that the agricultural depression was chiefly due to the heavy and steady fall in the prices of produce, which he claimed was due to the monetary changes of 1873, and could only be stopped by reverting to the previous monetary system. Nobody could foresee where the present fall of prices would end. According to the latest table the fall from 1871 to 1893 of 40 per cent. in wheat amply illustrates this.

Touching upon the farmers of America, he said that they especially were being ruined and becoming bankrupt faster even than the British farmers. Others contend that over-production is responsible for the fall in prices; but he claimed that statistics show that the production of wheat has decreased, although the prices have fallen. The cause, he said, was the demonetization of silver in 1873 and the subsequent divergency of the relative values of the metals, which enabled silver-using countries like India to export wheat at the present low prices. Mr. Chaplin also said:

"And if silver continues to fall there is no reason why wheat should not cheapen indefinitely. We propose as a remedy an international agreement to revert to the system which prevailed prior to 1873."

Mr. Chaplin's speech was loudly applauded.

DISTILLERY EXPLODED.

In the Fire Which Followed Several People Lost Their Lives.

New York, May 31.—A terrific explosion occurred at 4:30 this morning in a distillery on the ground floor of a double tenement house at 129 Suffolk street, resulting in the death of Lizzie Yaega, aged four years, and seriously injuring four others.

Twenty families rented the building. The fire cut them off from the stairway. Some of the older persons escaped by creeping on the narrow ledge of the second story to a window of the next house. Two men used a blanket as net to catch the children dropped from the windows above. Fifteen were dropped through a sheet of flame which was leaping from the side of the building. Then the elder ones jumped. Meyer Dietrich, aged 41, was badly burned. Several persons on the top floor were overcome by smoke and were carried out by the firemen. Three persons were burned to death.

GEN. ROSSER'S WILD TALK.

An Ex-Confederate Who Is Anxious to Fight the War Over Again.

Richmond, Va., May 31.—Gen. Thomas Rosser made a speech at the reunion of Confederate cavalrymen incident to the unveiling of the private soldiers' monument, which has created considerable comment here. In part he said: "My comrades, when you marched out in 1861 you were buoyed up with hope in the future, now you only have the memory of the past. The great principles for which we fought have been dishonored, but they are not dead. We are now but an ambulance corps, but we are here to-day to do honor to men who fell, for we love their memory as we love our God.

"The men who overran us remind me of the locusts which are now infesting portions of this state. They could not whip us, but they devoured our substance. The army that devoured us was an army of substitutes. We killed all the substitutes, and the men whom they represented stayed at home and made money, and now draw pensions.

"Some time ago we unveiled a monument to the greatest general who ever lived. And in time we will unveil a monument to the president of the confederacy. But we are mocked at by the North that we will live to see a Yankee army march again through the South and pull down our monuments. I do not know what sort of stuff the rising generation is made of, but if you and I are living there will be blood shed when that is done."

Rosser, who has made much money in Minnesota by railway building, was defeated as a Populist candidate for congress last fall. He was at one time chief engineer of the Canadian Pacific railway.

OREGON'S GOVERNOR.

Pennoyer Composes Another Remarkable Letter in Reply.

Portland, Ore., May 31.—Governor Pennoyer was advertised to address a Populist meeting at Hood River on Decoration day. The Grand Army post there adopted resolutions deploring the fact that any political party should hold a public meeting on that day, and asked that it be postponed. The governor today made the following characteristic reply:

"The resolution of your post was duly received and considered. Although the Saviour of mankind while on the earth allowed on the holy Sabbath the pulling of an ox or an ass out of a pit, yet your post objects to any effort on Decoration day such as the pulling out of the pit of financial disaster the starving men, women and children of our unfortunate country. I, however, cancel my appointment at Hood River pursuant to your request."

TO SMITHEREENS.

Norwegian Steamer Norden Blown to Pieces at Dijon.

Madrid, May 31.—Further details have been received of the explosion yesterday on the Norwegian steamer Norden at Dijon, on the Bay of Biscay. The steamer was taking coal on board when one of her boilers exploded with terrific force. Her decks were shattered and the boat's bow and deck fittings were blown to splinters.

Some of the debris was carried across the quay at which the vessel was lying, and a piece of timber struck a dock laborer, killing him instantly. Two steamers laden with sulphuric acid and gunpowder were lying close to the Norden. Part of the masts of the latter were carried away by the force of the explosion, and in falling struck the other two steamers, inflicting great damage on them.

Five of the Norden's crew were killed and several others were either scalded or injured by falling debris.

BURNING UP BRECKINRIDGE.

The Lascivious Kentucky Politician Scarified by Owens.

Lexington, Ky., May 31.—W. C. Owens spoke at Versailles to-day to 700 people, all the house would hold. Over 100 ladies were present. In referring to Col. Breckinridge Owens said:

"He tells you that for the last one hundred years the Ashland district has been represented in congress by men; he might add that only during the first ninety years of that time has it been represented by gentlemen."

This created the wildest applause. The speech was well received and several ladies presented him with bouquets. Owens' friends have been all along urging him to make a vigorous attack on Breckinridge in each speech, and he is carrying out this policy. Those close to Breckinridge say he will not submit to such language, and there is likely to be hot work.

Spring Novelties. The latest styles in Millinery and Capes at Lansdowne House. J. Partridge.

FLASHED FROM 'FRISCO.

Ethel Brandon's Cruel Husband—Degrading the Dramatic Art.

San Francisco, June 2.—Mrs. L. R. Stockwell, the actress, better known as Ethel Brandon, has finally brought suit against her husband, who is now in New York, for divorce. Cruelty is the sole ground on which divorce is asked. Mrs. Stockwell is still lying seriously ill in the hospital in this city.

The dramatization of the Shattuck murder case, called "Circumstantial Evidence," is billed for production in this city next Monday night. Truly Shattuck, daughter of the woman who killed Harry Poole, the girl's lover, is to take the leading part in the play.

The steamer Queen has sailed with a party of twenty excursionists for Alaska. From here she goes to Port Townsend, thence to Fort Wrangel, Juneau, Douglas Island, Sitka and Glacier Bay. She will stay on the Alaska run during the summer.

The steamer Australia to-day brought news of the arrival at Honolulu on May 22 of the United States steamer Marion, which is out some fifty days from Yokohama. She remained in port two days, and after taking on coal and provisions sailed for San Francisco.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—Shaving 10c. 101 Douglas street.

—Garden Hose at McLennan & McFeely's.

—Fine fishing rods and tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street.

—The talk of the city is the K. of P. excursion to Nanaimo on Sunday, June 17th.

—There was only one drunk in the police court this morning and he was discharged.

—Do not forget to inspect the fine assortment of "Liberty art materials" at Weiler Bros. The finest in the provinces.

—The Natural History Society holds its regular meeting on Monday, June 4th, in the library of the provincial parliament.

—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra calf and other superior binding at R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street.

—Things that move rapidly—are the children's school hats that Partridge of the Lansdowne House, 86 Yates street, offers at ten cents each.

—Until further notice the C. P. N. Company's Vancouver steamer will leave Victoria at 11 p.m. instead of 2 a.m. Intending travellers will govern themselves accordingly.

—An assult case will be heard in the police court Monday in which Alfred Williams, the real estate agent of Store street, and J. W. Steele are interested. The dispute was about potatoes.

—A consignment of spring and summer goods have just been received by Weiler Bros. They come direct from Liberty's, London, and comprise an excellent assortment of "art fabrics."

—Vancouver is getting up a concert for the relief of the Fraser Valley settlers. Several energetic Victorians have already discussed the propriety of doing the same, and the project will doubtless take shape next week.

—Auctioneer Cuthbert has come into possession of a lot of educational works and literary classics which he will hammer to the four winds of heaven on Monday afternoon. School teachers and students should be there.

—Bathing up the Arm has begun. Some four and twenty urchins arrayed in nature's own livery made evening vocal in a secluded bay near Deadman's Island last night. The boys had evidently forgotten their bathing suits or what is due to propriety.

—The steamship Umatilla sails for San Francisco this evening. The following cabin passengers are booked from Victoria: Dr. Harrison Thomas and wife, Miss B. F. Phillips, Mrs. L. Phillips and child, Mrs. A. Wass, Mrs. C. Bush, Mrs. E. Patterson and A. H. Steffen.

—George Johnson and Francis Webb escaped from the reformatory this morning at 9. The escape was made while the superintendent was in the upper portion of the building. The boys gained their liberty by means of cutting away an iron screen from a lower window, at which they had been working some days before. A provincial police officer has been sent in search.

—A decision was given by Magistrate Macrae in the police court this morning in the now celebrated cow case. John Barnsley charged R. B. Punnett with letting his bovine get into the Barnsley property. The defense pleaded that the gates of the Barnsley place were left open, and that there was no fence along the water front; a cow could easily get upon the property in that way at low water. Magistrate Macrae went out to examine the spot himself, and his decision is in favor of the defendant.

—The Sealer Sapphire has discharged her sealskins and has pulled into the row of vessels moored just below the custom house. Captain W. Cox says that he saw H. M. S. Pheasant on the 12th or 13th of May and that she was on her way to Sitka. There have been no further arrivals of sealers and the slowness with which they are arriving is causing comment. Less than half the fleet, which numbered 24, are home. It may be that some of them will cross to the Russian side, while others may remain in northern ports until they can enter the sea.

—The evidence in the Morrison libel case was concluded yesterday afternoon after the Times went to press. John Davidson, Isaac Walsh and Herbert Brett gave evidence of the handwriting of Dr. Morrison, and the lawyers for the prosecution and for the defence wound up the case. Magistrate Macrae said he was of opinion that the written matter complained of was libellous, and he thought, the defense had a case to answer. He asked if Dr. Morrison had anything to say. Harry Helmcken, his lawyer, asked that a continuation be taken until Monday before the court gave the decision. Granted.

—Dr. True was fined $100 yesterday, not $10 as stated.

—Grass catchers for lawn mowers at McLennan & McFeely's.

—Guaranteed razors and outfits at Fox's, 78 Government street.

—Chicken fencing, four feet high, 18 cents per yard, at McLennan & McFeely's.

—The funeral of the boy William Johnson was held yesterday afternoon from the Jubilee hospital.

—The court of revision meets in the council chamber of the city hall on Monday morning at 10.

—Suits reduced from $35 to $25 and from $30 to $20, at J. W. Creighton's, 86 Government street.

—Shipping receipt books, 50 cts. each. Other Stationery reduced in prices at Johnston & Co.'s bookstore.

—Art cretonnes, art muslin, art silks, art crepe cloth, fancy figured muslins, art serge, etc., etc., at Weiler Bros.

—The K. of P. will run an excursion train to Nanaimo on decoration Sunday, June 17th. Tickets, $1.50 for return trip.

—The sealer Minnie was at the cape last night and is expected up this evening. She has a catch of about 500 skins.

—There will be a meeting of the Mikado company at Lombard's music store this evening to make final arrangements for the dance on Tuesday night.

—The ladies of the St. Anne's Society of the Roman Catholic Church are busily engaged in preparing for their bazaar which will probably be held June 20th.

—The drawing for the Victoria Building Society appropriation took place last night. The drawing was won by W. W. Northcott, who held shares 35 C and D.

—The steamer Islander left for New Westminster at 7:30 this morning with the Victoria lacrosse team and about 300 excursionists aboard. Captain John Irving was in command and a very pleasant day's outing was assured. It was expected that the boat would reach New Westminster about 1 o'clock, giving ample time to prepare for the game. The steamer will hardly reach here before midnight to-night.

—There was a very interesting meeting of the Victoria Yacht club in the James Bay boathouse last night. The discussion over the failure of the first day's yacht racing was rather warm at times and as a result a prominent member of the club handed in his resignation. Captains Foot and Seeley were named as delegates to the meeting of the International Association at Whatcom on July 4th. The alternates names were W. Croft and Hardie Thompson. It was decided to have races every two weeks during the summer the first to be held on Saturday, June 9.

MAIL AT LAST.

The First of the Delayed Mail will Arrive To-Night.

The blockade appears to have been at last raised. The steamer Premier which is this afternoon speeding from Vancouver to Victoria has aboard a large quantity of delayed mail and a number of passengers on board. The exact amount of mail is not known. Superintendent Abbott telegraphed to General Agent Courtney that there were three days' mails and passengers aboard, while a telegram received at the C. P. R. telegraph office said that mails from the 24th to the 31st of May inclusive were aboard, and that the steamer had left there at one o'clock. Postmaster Shakespeare has decided to open the general delivery wicket after the mail arrives to-night to accommodate the public. It will take some time to sort the mail so it will very likely be quite late when the wicket is opened. The postmaster positively denies that the office failed to post notice of the delay in the mail service until several days after the blockade began. He says it was put up the day the delay occurred.

Still Rising.

Is the news from the Fraser, but it is not so with the millinery at the Lansdowne House, 86 Yates street, as Partridge has marked them down to bed-rock. Ladies, do not miss this chance to get a nice hat for little money.

A BIG PULL.

To the Editor:—A great prize fight is to take place some time next week, at Cadboro Bay, between one of Mr. Maynard's large stumps and myself. Mr. Maynard will give me ten dollars if I can pull the said stump. Notice will be given as to the time of this great contest. Admiral Stephenson will honor the occasion with his presence and a large crowd is anticipated.

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SERIES OF ROBBERIES.

Camps Around Valdes Island Visited by Thieves.

Hugh Grant, of Valdes Island, a well known logger, was in the city yesterday, having come down by way of Vancouver, where he disposed of a boom of logs. He says the whole district around Valdes Island is worked up over a series of robberies. About two weeks ago Haslam's camp at Discovery passage was robbed. A lot of provisions, axes, and articles of more or less value were taken. Then a little later Morgan's camp on Read Island was visited and a general clean up made, the robbers even sorting the potatoes and taking away several hundred pounds of the best. A few days later Jim King's place at Duncan's bay was broken open and robbed and a lot of goods taken. The total value of the property taken from the three places will reach several hundred dollars. The people generally are of the opinion that the work was done by white men. As far as know there is as yet no clue to the identity of the thieves. The neighborhood is aroused, and at the next point of call the thieves will likely get a warm reception.

Pythian News.

A large contingent of knights, including the uniformed division of Vancouver, will arrive in this city at 2 o'clock a.m., next Wednesday.

The rank of knight was conferred on a candidate at the last meeting of Far West lodge, No. 1.

A meeting of the general committee, to arrange for the reception of the supreme chancellor, will be held next Tuesday evening.

Victoria division, No. 2, uniform rank, will drill on Monday evening.

Crusade lodge, No. 19, was organized in Vancouver on Thursday evening last.

Far West lodge, No. 1, elected the following officers at the regular meeting held last evening: Chancellor Commander, Stephen Jones; Vice Chancellor, F. Le Roy; Master of Work, Lewis McNeil; Master at Arms, H. Petticrew; Prelate, J. E. Bledsoe.

The grand lodge of British Columbia will meet in Castle Hall, Broad street, at ten o'clock on Wednesday morning. Grand Chancellor H. J. Austle will open the convention. About 50 representatives will be in attendance from various parts of the jurisdiction. The session will last about four days.

Supreme Chancellor Blackwell will arrive in this city on Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of attending the fifth session of the grand lodge. The distinguished visitor will be met at the wharf by his worship Mayor Teague and will be escorted to the lodge room by the various uniform divisions and members of the order. All knights in the city will assemble at three o'clock on Wednesday and will march to the wharf headed by the B. C. B. G. A. band. Sergeant J. Walker will act as marshal. An address will be presented by the grand chancellor when the supreme chancellor enters the Castle Hall. On Wednesday evening an open meeting for knights will be held and a banquet will take place at the hotel Wilson. Thursday morning will be occupied in the grand lodge. At 11:30 on Thursday the supreme chancellor, with the grand lodge officers and representatives will drive around the city, visiting Beacon Hill, the Gorge and Esquimalt. It is probable that the visitor will leave for Seattle on Thursday evening.

Marine.

Carmanah, June 2.—Bar., 29.76; light southeast wind. Schooner Minnie bound in with 500 skins.

The British ship Astracana, now at Tacoma, is remarkable for one thing, if that alone, and that is the repetition of and similarity of names in the crew. The captain is Richard Jones; steward, John Jones; second officer, Thomas Jones; third officer, R. R. Jones; carpenter, William Jones, and three seamen named Jones, and the ship's dog, "Robert Jones." The solution is that the ship is owned by a Welsh company and the crew consists principally of Welshmen. Jones is the surname for about one-fifth of the Welsh race, and as a consequence the Astracana, being manned by Welshmen, has received her coterie of Joneses.

The steamer Coquitlam arrived here last night from Union with coal for the Kingston and George E. Starr.

The United States survey steamer Gedney is in the harbor.

An Immense Crowd.

All day long by far the largest crowd ever seen at a sale in this city have been thronging the stores of Russell & McDonald, in the Masonic building, opposite the iron church, Douglas street. The [illegible] help, so there is no waiting to be served. They will keep open until ten to-night.

PERSONAL.

Wm. F. Schmidt, Chicago, is at the Driard.

Mrs. and Miss Dunlevy are home from San Francisco.

F. W. Parker, of the Northwestern Line, is in the city.

Robert Simms, Nanaimo, is staying at Hotel Victoria.

Joseph Wey leaves to-night for the east over the C.P.R.

Mrs. Mutter and Miss Mutter, Somenos, are at the Oriental.

Mrs. T. D. Conway, Chemainus, is a guest at the Oriental.

J. McNichol, of the C.P.R., is spending a few days in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hogan, New York, are registered at the Driard.

David Spencer jr., left for England over the C.P.R. this morning.

Miss Edith Charlson, Mills College, Cal., is a guest at the Driard.

W. Mathers, of New Westminster, is in the city on a business trip.

The members of the Nanaimo Lacrosse Team are registered at the Oriental.

Mrs. V. I. Arnold; Miss E. J. Arnold, San Francisco, arrived in the city last night.

R. T. Butler, Halley, Ind., arrived in town last night and is registered at Hotel Victoria.

James Dunsmuir and his secretary, Al. Lindsay, arrived home from San Francisco last evening.

[illegible] Norris, secretary of the Nanaimo Lacrosse Association, is in the city to-day with the boys.

John H. Lockwood, with R. Hoe & Co., the celebrated press makers of New York, is in the city.

W. G. McKenzie arrived home from California on the Puebla. His health is greatly improved.

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GATHERING 'EM IN.

The Robbers of the Anveck Girls in the Toils.

Four more arrests were made yesterday in connection with the bunkoing of Amanda and Mina Anveck, two Norwegian girls, out of $200 night before last near the Myers cannery, says yesterday's Post-Intelligencer. The list now includes L. Jones, E. Wilson, G. W. West, R. W. Patterson, G. W. Westcarton, alias "Kid" West, John Maloney, O. Tingley, alias the "Smiling Kid," and the following who were apprehended yesterday: F. J. West, John Silk, Charles Kenney and Harry Duke. Eight out of the eleven are well known in Seattle, and have borne the reputation of being bunko men for a long time. Many of them have operated within the last two years. Out of those under arrest two have been positively identified by the girls, and it is pretty sure that one more is guilty. The gang which did the business did not operate this time from Seattle. They made the acquaintance of the girls in Victoria and followed them to Seattle, where "the job was turned." The police blame the merchant patrolmen for interfering in the case or not reporting it promptly to the police department, while on the other hand the merchant patrolmen claim that if they had not taken an interest in the case the police would not have heard about it. Chief Rogers is satisfied that over an hour elapsed from the time the merchant patrolmen met the girls until the police knew about the case, while the merchant patrolmen claim that only fifteen minutes elapsed.

Don't be Robbed

Of the chance to get a nice hat for little money, as Partridge of the Lansdowne House, 86 Yates street, is selling off his millinery stock.

POLITICAL.

Meeting at Cedar Hill—Eberts, Carey and Others Speak.

Two of the government candidates, Messrs. Eberts and Carey, addressed the electors at Cedar Hill last night. The school house was well filled. Munroe Miller occupied the chair. Mr. Eberts spoke first, explaining at some length the policy of the government and his own efforts to benefit the district. Mr. Carey followed and afterwards Mr. Chandler spoke. The meeting was quiet and undemonstrative, as becometh a government assemblage, and no disturbing Oppositionist interfered to spoil the harmony of the pleasant little gathering. Mr. Nicholson, who is a candidate, was not present. There is a report that he will retire in favor of Mr. Carey.

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LIARS AND TATTLERS.

Talmage of Brooklyn Utters Blistering Denunciations of Them.

San Francisco, May 31.—Rev. T. de Witt Talmage, the celebrated Brooklyn preacher, lectured at the Metropolitan Temple here last evening. His subject was "The School for Scandal." He said:

I thank you for this hearty reception, and I will respond by asking you to come and see me—come to New York; to Brooklyn; come to our house; we will gladly welcome you—but don't all come at once.

I am not ashamed to declare, here and now, he exclaimed, that I am an optimist. If we leave the evolutionists to guess where we came from and the theologians to prophecy where we are going, the fact still remains that we are here and that it is our duty to make the best of our opportunities. And I believe that in this final decade of the nineteenth century—the best century of all that have come upon the earth—the opportunities for good are superior.

He said there were schools, colleges and academies of scandal all over the land. Those who have just entered were freshmen, those who have been entered were seniors, and those who had graduated were out in the world practicing their profession.

What shall we do with attacks on moral character? he asked.

"Decline to believe anything derogatory to another until it has been proved by at least two reputable witnesses, and then hope that there has been some mistake.

He told the story of a man who pleaded guilty to an accusation, and whom the jury found not guilty.

"What do you mean by bringing in such a verdict?" the judge asked indignantly. "Don't you know that the prisoner has pleaded guilty?"

"Yes, your honor," the foreman replied, "but we know the man, and he is such a confounded liar that we wouldn't belive him if he told the truth!"

Almost everybody gets lied about before he dies, he said. If you haven't suffered it's because you are too young.

Then he described the lie in all its phrases and conditions, applying a perfect torrent of adjectival invective to present the abhorrent thing in its varied aspects.

To-day it is after your neighbor, he cried; to-morrow it will be after you.

It can see more through a keyhole than anything else can observe through a wide open door, he added.

He denounced the masculine tattler as infinitely worse than the feminine gossip. It is easy enough, he said, to whisper a man to his financial ruin in business and to sneer a woman into her grave.

Alas for these scandalmongers! he cried scornfully; these gadabouts, these blistering gossips; these everlasting snoops.

The worst are those who gather their scandal and bring it to you, and applying their brine, their turpentine, their aqua fortis, rub it in with a coarse towel, he said. They make you a pincushion, in which they stick the sharp pins of their gossip. They are peddlers of Canada thistles; peddlers of nux vomica. The assassin of the body cannot be compared to the assassin of character.

All good men have had at some time in their lives something evil said of them, and the speaker cited the instance of the slanderous stories circulated against John Wesley by his own wife.

The great divine in the extremity of his tribulations under these charges once rose in his congregation and complained that he had been accused of every crime except drunkenness. His wife was in the congregation, and she also arose to confront him and accuse him with:

"Ah, John, you know you were drunk last night," whereupon the persecuted preacher exclaimed in despair: "I thought it would come to that; the calendar is now complete!"

Take the best man in the world, said the speaker, and place a detective on his track, and you will not fail to get a pretty good story concerning him.

He was particularly indignant in his denunciation of those who slander women.

If there is no hell for such despicable wretches, he said, it is high time that some philanthropist built one.

Then he told how to war against this evil. We must first refuse to believe the tattler. The law, he reminded his hearers, presumes every man to be innocent until he is proved guilty, and that is the rule that should guide us in our conduct toward those against whom the shafts of slander are hurled.

There is one person worse than the tattler, he averred, and that is the person who listens. You hold the sack while he fills it. The receiver of stolen goods is as bad as the thief.

Find some better business, he said, than that of gutter inspector.

Teach your children to speak well of people or say nothing. Show them the difference between a bee that gathers honey and a wasp that carries a sting.

"Here goes a tattler!" he shouted in reverberating tones. "Room for the leper! Room!"

Remember that your tongue is attached to the floor of your mouth and that you are responsible for the way it wags.

His plea for charity to those afflicted with the hereditary taint of evil was earnest and logical. He claimed that early environment, association and ancestral turpitude had much to do with a man's character. Some men, he said, were born bad and should be pitied rather than condemned. They couldn't help the evil that was in them, and we should fully understand the disease before we prescribed the antidote. On the other hand, it was no special credit to the man who lived cleanly and was honest, upright and straightforward. His father and his mother were responsible for his character, as the father and the mother of another were responsible for the evil that they transmitted to their offspring.

He had been asked who will sit on the highest throne of heaven after the Deity, and he had answered:

"The man or woman born wrong who has resisted hereditary evil and by the grace of God has conquered—conquered!"

Many men, said the speaker, have resisted sterner evil than those who have been moral and upright all their lives.

Men want help, not excoriation.

The lecturer closed with an eloquent review of the salient features of the battle of Waterloo as described by a guide on the field as it appears to-day, and compared that mighty combat to the battle of life and the awful conflict that most men are waging with the evil influences of their heredity and environment.

ON A LARGE SCALE.

A Parisian Dentist Who Operated on an Elephant's Tooth.

A Parisian dentist has just filled a cave in an elephant's tooth, says the New York World. Animal surgery is a subject which has received some attention in this country. A lion was relieved of a carbuncle in his neck in Philadelphia recently, and the tusks of the late Tip were abbreviated on several occasions, but this last operation was of course attended with no pain, otherwise that homicidal animal would have protested in a very emphatic manner.

In Europe, where there are many more large public menageries than here, the services of the surgeon are frequently called in to save valuable nimals. Veterinary surgeons are accustomed to perform small operations on horses and dogs, but the surgical treatment of wild animals is a very different matter. It is attended with difficulty and danger.

Many a savage animal has, however, shown himself appreciative of the efforts which are made to relieve him of pain. There is the old story of the lion that unexpectedly confronted a traveller in the African forest, holding one paw before him with an expression of anguish. The traveller was not unnaturally perturbed by the meeting, but the lion forced his paw on his attention in such a way that the man could not but discover that the king of beasts was suffering acute pain from a large thorn which was partially buried in the soft part of his paw. The lion detained the traveller until he had removed the thorn and dressed the wound, and afterwards he expressed plainly his desire to live with the man as his devoted servant.

The elephant operated on in Paris bears the name of Liga. He is a gifted animal, engaged in performing at the Nouveau Cirque. He is nine years of age. For a long time he had suffered torture of untold extent from the toothache. He endeavored to relieve the disturbed condition of his nervous system by chewing wooden beams and iron bars, and blew his trunk with painful violence. The director of the circus finally called in Professor Valadon, of the dental college of Paris, who diagnosed Liga's case.

The elephant had scraped away the ivory and dental pulp from a portion of one of his molar teeth. Probably he had bitten a stone wall in a fit of passing irritation. Caries or decay had set in over a space the size of a silver dollar.

The dentist made use of the largest of his excavating instruments. He had to cut a distance of three inches into the diseased tooth. While he drilled with all his might one of the keepers fed Paris confectionery to the gifted performer. He was, it is said, evidently aware that the object of the operation was to relieve him from suffering, for he scarcely budged during the tedious operation. When the tooth had been prepared it was filled with a wad of cotton soaked in iodiform. This was repeated every week for two months until the nerve was dead. Then the cavity was filled with composition covered with a tin cylinder.

The director of the circus inquired what the cost of filling the elephant's tooth with gold would be. It was estimated that at least $300 worth of gold would be required, and the director decided that he could not afford it.

It need hardly be added that Liga is a very intelligent and docile animal to have submitted patiently to this operation.

SACRIFICED FOR BEAUTY.

A Pretty Bird Exterminated to Provide Fashion's Adornments.

One of the most beautiful birds known to the ornithologist is the white heron. It is stately, majestic, and has a dignity of appearance either in repose or in flight that commands the admiration of the beholder. Ten years ago this superb representative of the feathery tribe was to be found in the swampy regions of southern Indiana and Lower California, says the New York Press. In both localities a flight of white herons was a bit of nature's poetry that turned the dull sky of a stormy day into a psalm of praise. Their serene and measured progress dignified the solemn heavens like the silent march of a conquering army. They trod the lagoons as the victor sweeps over the well worn field of battle, for where they chose to make their home they were the masters of the things that swam, of those that crawled and of those that flew. They reigned until fashion claimed them, and then they fled, and as they fled fashion still pursued.

The result will be that before a decade has passed the white heron will rank with the dodo and the great auk as an extinct bird.

What renders certain the extinction of the white heron is that it has a dorsal plume now much in request for the completion of court costumes and for the [illegible] who wish to shine at social functions. The dorsal plume is used both as an aigrette and as a bonnet adornment. Nothing else can equal its daintiness and elegance. The attempt to supply the demand has been kept up with all the fierceness shown by commerce in seeking profit. The white heron was hunted out of Indiana and California. It fled to Mexico and Lower California. Still the seekers for dorsal plumes pursued and still the great bird sought refuge to the southward. Now it is unknown to America. Its present habitat is along the Amazon river. Even there it gets no rest, for commerce and fashion still follow on its flight.

In the markets of London and Paris the dorsal plumes are now worth $43 an ounce in gold, and to secure them one New York firm alone has three hundred hunters employed along the wild reaches of Brazil's great river. There is a complete equipment, with headquarters at Para. This equipment includes a steam yacht, numerous boats and all the paraphernalia of an expedition into unknown wilds. Seven white men lead the small army. The people under them are natives, who get nominally large pay. However, they accept goods of various sorts [illegible] tlement of account allow $25 for watches that cost their employers $5 in New York. The same ratio prevails in the sale of guns, gaudy silks for the women and other articles of traffic. So the dealers, although their outlay is large, manage to reap an enormous profit on the coveted dorsal plumes. The haunt of the heron is also that of the alligator and shark, for these dangerous amphibians travel far inland up the great Amazon. Therefore it often happens that the hunter, in trying to secure his slain prey, falls a victim to the man-eaters. But the demand for aigrettes continues, and probably the peril has something to do with the largeness of the price. "We shall quit the business within five years," said a dealer to the Press representative, "solely for the reason that there will be no more white herons to hunt."

WILL JOIN PEARY.

Prof. Chamberlain, Chicago University, to Sail on the Falcon.

Chicago, May 31.—The University of Chicago is to be represented in a North Pole expedition. Thomas Crowder Chamberlain, Head Professor of Geology, will join the Peary Relief Expedition to be fitted out by the Philadelphia Academy of Science. The party will consist of seven persons, headed by Henry G. Bryant, a Pittsburg merchant and a graduate of Princeton College. The company expects to reach St. Johns, Newfoundland, in time to embark from that port in the Falcon, July 4th. Visiting Godhaven, on Disko Island, North Greenland, they will proceed northward through Melville Bay in the vicinity of Cape York. Progress will be made toward Peary's old headquarters at Bodoin bay, latitude 77 deg. 43 min. north. It is Prof. Chamberlain's intention to study the glaciers of Greenland and also the geological strata of the country with a view to ascertaining something definite about the climate as indicated in fossil formation.

YOUNG MEN AT THE FRONT.

Few Venerables to be Found Among the European Rulers.

Lord Rosebury's succession to the premiership serves to call the New Orleans Picayune's attention to the fact that whereas during the first decade after the Franco-German war, and throughout the major part of the second, the destinies of Europe were controlled by monarchs and statesmen of advanced age, their power is vested in the hands of comparatively very young men. This is, indeed, the epoch of youth. Lord Beaconsfield, Gortchakoff, Prince Bismarck, M. Thiers, Depretis, Gladstone and the Danish statesman, Estrupp, have all either died or withdrawn into private life, and the same may be said of their masters. The German Emperor, who is undoubtedly the man at the helm in the Teutonic empire, is only 33 years old; the Prince of Bulgaria is 33; the Emperor of Russia is 40; while the King of Wurtemburg, the King of Portugal and the King of Greece are all young men.

Still more youthful are the Queen of Holland, the young king of Servia and the little king of Spain. As regards statesmen, we find young men, such as Lord Rosebery and Mr. Asquith, the husband of Miss Margot Tennant, occupying the principal executive offices of the British empire. The Austrian prime minister, Prince Windischgraetz, is under 40, and Cardinal Rompolla, the papal secretary of state, is barely one or two years over that age. M. Casimir-Perier, the French prime minister, is about 48 years of age, while M. Dupuy, his predecessor, and now president of the chamber of deputies, is about three years younger. Many other names might be added to the list, but the above will suffice to show that we are living in the golden age of youth, and that while age and experience are at a discount, youth and enthusiasm are above par.

A WONDERFUL CHILD.

Sketch of Bronislaw Huberman, the Latest Musical Prodigy.

Bronislaw Huberman has just reached London after a triumphant flying visit to Venice, Brussels, Berlin and Paris.

Bronislaw's face, says the Pall Mall Gazette, is a Slav face, and therefore unfathomable to the average Englishman. It is what, for the want of a better expression, may be called a composite face. One of London's oldest musicians, Herr Wilhelm Kuhe, who knew Rubenstein as a child, proclaims him to be the counterfeit presentment of the great Russian pianist when a child. Others see in the boy's face a striking resemblance to Beethoven. Dilettanti naturally seek and find in him a resemblance to some musician, but others will discover in that massive feature the front bombe of the Corsican stripling Bonaparte; while those who have witnessed Coquelin's stolid attitude in the first act of "Jean Dacier" will at once draw comparisons between the French actor's impersonation of the dreamy, pensive and moody-eyed Brittany peasant who is to do so much when quickened to action by the stirring words of the recruiting officer.

Like the Brittany peasant, Bronislaw Huberman has been "called." His parents say it was at the age of five, but the boy insists that it was at the earlier age of three, when he was taken to hear an opera in his native town of Warsaw. Whether or not it is the custom of juvenile Poland to be taken to the opera when so young, it is to be presumed that few of them on coming home whistle the opera right through, and then beg for a fiddle to play its melodies. One is told that Bronislaw did so, and that the proof of this pretty anecdote about the beginnings of the little virtuoso is the possession of the fiddle itself. The boy is more interesting, however, than the story. He is frankness and bluntness incarnate, and blurts out his tastes, his likes and dislikes with a naivete that is refreshing in this age of self-conscious prigs, great and small.

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OLD JEWELRY.

When Uncalled For the Pawnbrokers Melt It Down.

"Looks funny, doesn't it? All the same there are a dozen of these machines going at least once a week in this city that the public never heard of before. When you understand it you will be able to tell your friends what becomes of the gold and silver they leave with their 'uncle' and never redeem. 'On the dead,' now, don't give me away, and I will tell you some of the secrets of the pawnbroker's trade."

The remark was made in a little dark room in the rear of one of the big loan offices not far from Madison and Dearborn streets. The proprietor went on to say the reports show that from 10 to 15 per cent. of all articles placed in "hock" is never called for. Then often gold and silver is purchased outright by the pennyweight and ounce, and in one way and another a large amount of the precious metals is accumulated. To turn old style goods into ready cash is the problem that confronts the pawnbroker. Bankrupt stocks of new design and fresh goods fill the cases in the counters and show windows, and the old material goes into new golden eagles with Uncle Sam's stamp upon them.

On the first floor of the back room, reached after setting half a dozen electric alarms going and the pressing of numerous buttons, was a peculiar contrivance looking like a six inch tile stood on end with a brass barrel covered with pipes by its side. A copper pan, some iron tools and some things that looked like common flower pots lay on the floor.

"This copper barrel," said the proprietor, "is filled with naphtha; these pipes lead to this tile or furnace; this handle here is for the forcing of air behind the naphtha so it will make a strong blast; these pots are crucibles. Into the furnace we place the crucible; into the crucible goes the gold. Hot, isn't it? So hot that we are compelled to wear colored glasses to see what's going on. But that's nothing to the way the thing is done in Uncle Sam's furnaces. Now here goes to fill the crucible."

Into the stone jar went gold watch cases and chains with family histories, crests and initials, souvenir spoons and breastpins of forgotten dates, rings that could have spoken of wedding bells and birthdays of long ago, golden charms, scarfpins with jewels removed, and odds and ends collected in a week's trade. The estimated value of the hatful of [illegible] gold. Into the melting collection went a lot of borax. This was to make the gold flow when sufficiently melted. There was no smoke; nothing but a sickly smell of naphtha, the noise of the blast and the glittering witness of the crucible.

To get a closer look at the melting gold a pair of green eyeglasses were furnished. As the broker stirred the contents of the crucible with an iron poker black bubbles would come to the top, pieces of [illegible] ging to the surface, only to sink back into the yellow gold, now turned to fluid. The broker lifted the crucible out of the furnace and poured its white hot contents into an iron mold. The mold rested in a pan of water. All the gold settled into the mold, and the borax, turning black as it hit the water, stayed on top. In a few moments the borax was knocked off, and out fell a bar of gold weighing several pounds, eight inches long, and probably three-fourths of an inch square. After cleaning the bar it was laid aside for shipment to the treasury.

"We do this once a week," said the proprietor, as he turned off the valve to the naphtha barrel. "From here the bars go to Washington by express. Before its value is returned we will pay out nearly $4 to $1,000. At Uncle Sam's works the bar will be melted by a fiercer heat. Then the melted mass will be poured into water, where it will form into shots or pellets of gold, silver and copper. These pellets are then placed in acid and the different metals separated. No, you can't fool the government for a minute. Science does the work in good shape. After this process the treasury ships gold eagles for the gold and silver coin for the silver metal contained in the bar. So you see the old battered watch case, broken chain, or out of date ornament comes back in new coin of the realm. Over $200,000 worth of gold bars is annually sent from Chicago brokers in just this way, and not one person in ten [illegible] done. Of course many gold coins are made into jewelry, and in course of time are sent back through our crucibles once more. This is on account of change of style in gold ornaments of all kinds which is constantly going on. Any profit? Oh yes, we figure all such things. An article pawned means to us only its weight in the crucible with the profit deducted. This profit may be 6 or it may be 12 per cent. A chain weighing $10 worth of gold we buy for $8.50 or less. The $1.50 is from profit, handling and the risk. Yes, it's quite a business, and many a family history has been told in the golden heirlooms that have fallen into a pawnbroker's crucible."—Chicago Tribune.

Anatomists, when they wish to separate the bones of a skull, sometimes resort to a very peculiar procedure. They fill the skull with small beans and place it in a vessel of water. The beans swell and rend the skull apart at the sutures. The well-known German physiologist, Grehaut, measured the force which the beans are capable of exerting under these conditions, and found that it indicated five atmospheres, equal to the average pressure in the boiler of a steam engine.

It is announced that strychnine is an antedote to chloroform poisoning. In a case where a would-be suicide recently swallowed two ounces of chloroform, one twentieth of a grain of strychnine injected hypodermically, with the aid of artificial respiration, caused immediate improvement, and after another injection of one-sixtieth of a grain the patient recovered, suffering no other evil effects than a severe attack of gastritis.

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SHE WAS DISCOURAGED.

A Woman's Peculiar Method of Committing Suicide.

"Life is full of tragedy," said the middle-aged man. "I am moved to make this remark by the recollection of a story told to me by my son when he was home from college on his Easter vacation. He is at one of the eastern colleges, which one does not matter, and he is living at a hotel. Last fall an epidemic of measles swept over the town. Nearly everybody had them, he among the number. He is 22 years old, and he had them bad.

"One of the women who worked in the dining room cared for him. She was what you would call a grass widow, I presume. Her husband had left her for some reason or other. She had a child, a weak, puny, miserable boy, and he was a great care to her. She was a quiet woman who always seemed bowed down with the weight of her woe, and was never known to smile. The doctor told her not to nurse my son, for fear she might either get the measles herself or give them to the child. However, [illegible] said she would look after him. Things turned out just as the doctor had expected. She did carry the measles to the child. He was taken ill late one afternoon, and by the next morning the little fellow was suffering terribly. The doctor came to see the child and told her that she must keep him well away from the cold and draughts of any kind. She took the child to her room, and after looking after my boy went up there.

"She locked the door and deliberately opened the window. Then she placed the child in his night clothes in the draught and let him stay there for two hours. The result was, of course, that he caught cold, and died within two days. After the child was buried she came back to the house and began taking care of the other measle patients. She came down with it herself one day. The doctors, who did not known how it was the child caught such a cold, gave her the same instructions. They told her to protect herself from cold. She was left alone in the room and she locked the door again. Then she threw open both windows and sat down beside one with very few clothes on. In two or three hours someone thought to go up and see her. [illegible] They broke it in and found her sitting near the window with her breast bared to the cold, raw wind, a raving maniac. She was put to bed, but she had calculated wisely. She was so thoroughly chilled that the disease took a fatal turn and she, too, died.

"That woman," continued the middle-aged man, "didn't have nerve enough to kill herself or child in an orthodox manner. The instructions of the doctor gave her a hint, however, and she followed it out. She killed herself and child as surely as if she had used poison or a pistol, but it wasn't so hard to do."—Buffalo Express.

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GENERAL DISPATCHES.

News in Brief From Various Parts of the World.

London, May 31.—The following telegram from Emperor William has been received in London by an American gentleman:

"I am just now not reading but devouring Captain Mahan's book and am trying to learn it by heart. It is a first class work and classical in all its points. It is on board all my ships and constantly quoted by my captains and officers."

Berlin, May 31.—It is reported that the Emperor has invited Rear-Admiral Erben and Captain Mahan of the United States flagship Chicago to visit Germany.

Madrid, May 31.—Many districts in the north of Spain and south of France are under snow. Two tramps died here to-day of exposure and cold.

London, May 31.—The Standard this morning says: Craven & Craven, worsted spinners, of Bradford, have failed, with liabilities amounting to £200,000. Their assets are unknown. Several other large failures are expected, as the trade of the town has been half ruined by the McKinley bill and the delay in arranging a new American tariff.

SURGEON'S KNIVES.

Failed to Remove the Disease from Hezekiah Vaughan's System—Dodd's Kidney Pills, Which Have Never Yet Failed, Cured Him in Short Order.

Sandwich, May 28.—Hezekiah Vaughan, of the township of Gosfield, has lately gone through a severe surgical operation at Harper's Hospital, Detroit, for what different doctors diagnosed as liver complaint. Four surgeons cut away at him for four and a half hours, but when they got through none of them could tell what was wrong, and the patient was left as bad as ever. The benefits derived by a neighbor from the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills, induced Mr. Vaughan to try them. From the first he began to improve. His bowels soon became regular and the pains that afflicted him disappeared. Six boxes restored to his former vigor a man who had abandoned all hope of regaining sound health.

SIBERIAN STEAMER LINE.

The Plans of the Russian-American Company Outlined.

San Diego, May 31.—Count L. J. Teleky, a young Austro-Hungarian who is financially interested in the scheme to establish a steamship line between the Siberian port of Vladivostock and San Diego and San Francisco, has been in the city for several days for the purpose of recuperating his health. The count has been living incognito here. He gave further particulars of the plans of his company, which were published some weeks ago.

"The plan to establish a steamship line between Vladivostock and American ports has long been the desire of Sibirakov, the great Russian financier and capitalist," said Count Teleky. "He is the Rothschild of Russia and principal stockholder in the Siberian Transcontinental Railway, which is to connect Vladivostock and St. Petersburg, a distance of ten thousand miles. Three thousand miles of this road is at present in operation across Siberia from Vladivostock. Other sections have been built between the inland terminus and St. Petersburg, and the whole line will be finished in 1895, according to the terms of the contract. Sibirtakow and Szeweloff, his principal associates, are determined to inaugurate the projected steamship line to San Francisco and San Diego with as little delay as possible. An expenditure of five million dollars at this port for docks and warehouses is contemplated, San Diego having been selected as the principal port at this end of the line.

Last year Ivan Gavetsky, an eminent Russian civil engineer, was sent to Chicago to make overtures to certain American capitalists for the purpose of enlisting capital in the enterprise. Gavetsky and the Americans organized in Chicago the Russian-American Direct Transportation Company, with a capital of $37,000,000. After its organization last October Gavetsky returned to Vladivostock to report to Sibirakow, while I came out from Europe and met Gavetsky, thence going to San Francisco to wait his return and incidentally to inspect the Union Iron Works plant. Gavetsky writes that the company as organized in Chicago met with the unqualified approval of Sibirakow and the Russian government, and that the actual establishment of the line will follow the arrival ... of Ivan Makejew, who has absolute authority from Sibirakow to contract for new vessels and buy steamers already afloat, as he may deem most practicable.

Count Teleky will leave within a few days for San Francisco to await the arrival of Gavetsky and Makejew. He expects to return in the latter part of July and spend some time here.

THE LIBERAL POLICY.

Harcourt Refuses to Give an Outline in the Commons.

London, May 31.—In the House of Commons to-day Sir William Harcourt moved that government business take precedence for the remainder of the session, as more time was imperative in order to hasten the budget. He was unable as yet to state the government's intention in regard to what bills might be abandoned.

Mr. Balfour complained of Harcourt's reticence in regard to the discussion of government measures, and said the Liberal leader's proposal to appropriate the time of the house without stating to what it was to be devoted has caused a decidedly unpleasant impression in the house.

Mr. Seton-Karr declared the course to be pursued was "pure robbery," and moved that it should not go into force for a month.

John Redmond opposed Harcourt's motion on the ground that the government was asking for a blank check. Mr. Redmond said the Parnellites insisted that the home rule bill proceed with the evicted tenants bill and with the crimes act repeal bill. The former, though disappointing, was good so far as it went, and the most urgent measure in the government programme.

Joseph Chamberlain declared that Harcourt's demand was unreasonable and arbitrary.

Samuel Woods asked the government to state its intention in regard to the eight hour bill, and Frederick C. Morgan wanted information as to the government's course regarding the Welsh disestablishment bill.

Sir William Harcourt said he hoped the government would be able to carry all the bills mentioned during the coming session, but he was unable to state which of these measures would first be dealt with.

Mr. Goschen moved that precedence be granted financial business. This motion was opposed by Sir William Harcourt and rejected.

The house was divided on Sir William Harcourt's original motion that government business take precedence for the remainder of the session, and it was adopted by a vote of 234 to 217.

A Few Words to Mothers.

Baby's Friend and Protector Found in Lactated Food.

Only a few words, dear mothers, about baby foods; this is a matter that you are interested in. If your baby is not gaining in flesh, health and strength, depend upon it, you are using the wrong food. Baby's life depends upon the quality of its daily nourishment.

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THE GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS.

To the Editor:—On reading the columns of the Colonist of Thursday morning I noticed a leading article headed "An Unfair Attack," in which the writer makes use of the following language: "We are surprised that the Times would lend itself to so small and so mean a business as to be the means of spreading lying reports about an honest man who is trying to carry out his contract faithfully and to the satisfaction of reasonable men of every class." I being myself the writer of a letter signed "Working Man" a week or so ago, take this the earliest opportunity of replying to the said leading article so far only as (upon a fair construction) it relates to facts appearing in my letter. I made the assertion that the majority of men discharged by Mr. Adams for incompetency have been from British Columbia, while most of the men engaged from the other side are still at work. Now it seems to me that if this statement was incorrect at the time it was made it would have been the wiser course for Mr. Adams to have given a negative reply to my assertion at once. But, did he do this? I leave it for the public to judge. He waits until a letter is written by a gentleman signed "T. W." which stated that 75 per cent. of the men working were American citizens, and then thinking this to be a big percentage he writes to the Colonist in reply enclosing a schedule of the names and nationalities of the men working on the government buildings. Surely sufficient time has elapsed since Mr. Adams first read my letter to have repented of his actions and to have entirely changed his system of hiring men. Doubtless the public would feel obliged to Mr. Adams if he would furnish them with the system he adopted in arriving at so satisfactory a conclusion as to the names and nationalities of the men now working for him. They might then be able to see whether any reliance can be placed on the result. The above clause is the only one that stands affected by any leading article from the Colonist or letter by Mr. Adams written since the publication of my letter, and that only after a week or more of deep consideration and entire change of programme by Mr. Adams and party. So that I may fairly claim for the Times, as far as the publication of my letter is concerned a release from the serious charge made against it yesterday morning, and may conclude that instead of being the cause of spreading lying reports, it helped to show the public how rotten was the system at first adopted by Mr. Adams for engaging men, and what a difference has already appeared (due, I believe, simply to the interest raised amongst the public by an investigation into the above matter). In conclusion I do but echo the opinions of several working men in and about the vicinity I live in, that they believe the Times has just as great a privilege to defend the rights of the working classes, as the Colonist has to look after and protect the personal character of Mr. Adams. I cannot understand why the Colonist should seem to take the matter to heart so keenly, unless it is that a fellow-feeling makes one wondrous kind.

WORKING MAN.

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THE AMBULANCE.

To the Editor: I fear "A Hospital Director," who replies to a letter of mine in the Colonist this morning, is neither courteous nor wise. He says I should have made inquiries into the subject, and I would then have found that the ambulance could be used without any formality for all cases of accident. Evidently the coroner, Dr. Hasell, was not aware of this provision, nor was Dr. McKechnie, or the former would have pointed this out when I referred to the subject at the inquest, and the latter would not have gone to the trouble to obtain Dr. Milne's consent to use the ambulance if such consent was unnecessary.

It appears that "A Hospital Director" thinks that I should have exercised a little common sense and have taken this "small boy"—weighing probably about 120 pounds—to the hospital myself without waiting for the ambulance. As the distance to the hospital is about half a mile over a rough road, as the loft where the boy lay was constructed for hay and could only be approached by a ladder, as the "small boy" was bleeding from wounds, back and front—the bullet having passed right through the body—as the boy to an unprofessional eye appeared to be dying—at times his groans and anguish were most pitiable—I think most people would deem the common sense view was to send for the nearest doctor for aid and advice.

Lastly, "A Hospital Director's" ungentlemanly coarseness in referring to myself as "the W. Marchant" and "this W. Marchant" is only on a par with his cowardice in hiding his identity under a nom de plume. It is easier to bully behind a hedge than to seek to manfully remedy evils that have arisen through want of thought. My first letter was penned in the public interests, without the slightest pique or prejudice.

W. MARCHANT.

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THE ASSIZES.

Jury Disagree in the Smith Case and a New Trial is Ordered for Tuesday.

Evidence in the Whittall-Reid Case Proves Interesting—What Drink Can Do.

The jury in Regina v. Smith yesterday at 7 o'clock had still failed to agree. They were discharged and the prisoner remanded until Tuesday. He will then be tried again.

Percy Everton Whittall and Archibald Reid were then placed on trial for obtaining by false pretences a ticket admitting them to the Victoria theatre. Reid is well known around town, and was until a couple of months ago billiard marker and change bartender at the Victoria hotel. Whittall, as stated by the deputy attorney-general, is a young Englishman who came around the Horn on the ship Astoria a couple of months ago, and after landing here created for some days quite a furore by the princely style in which he lived. For some days he was known amongst the "boys" as Lord Whittall and "the duke."

Robert Jamieson was the first witness. He was in the box office at the Victoria theatre on the 31st of March, when the two prisoners came to him, and Whittall asked for a box. On being told that money must be paid Whittall said that he would give a cheque, and Reid said the cheque was all right, as he had seen Whittall that morning pay $1,000 into the Bank of British Columbia. As a result he let them see the matinee and gave them a ticket for the evening show.

In cross-examination by George E. Powell, counsel for the defence, he admitted that he had a bad memory. He did not take any stock in what Whittall said, but he relied entirely on what Reid had said. Whittall at the time appeared half drunk.

M. Henderson, clerk to Mr. Jamieson, told of the giving of the ticket, which he had given as a result of conversation he had heard between the prisoner and Whittall.

Henry Arnot Wilson, clerk at the Victoria hotel, identified the cheque in question as the one given him by Whittall, which was to be given to Mr. Jamieson in payment for the ticket. On cross-examination he said Whittall was drunk nearly all the week he stayed at the Victoria; his liquor bill was about $44 for less than a week.

Messrs. Laundry, Patterson and Haines, clerks in the Bank of British Columbia, swore that Whittall paid no money into the bank on the day in question and that he had nothing in the bank standing to his credit in the general ledger.

Mr. Parker, another Bank of British Columbia clerk, swore that the savings bank department had between two and three thousand accounts, and that Whittall had no account there. Cross-examined by Mr. Powell, he admitted that he had never looked to ascertain for certain from the books, but spoke from memory.

For the defence John Thoburn gave evidence of seeing Whittall at the theatre on the afternoon in question. He was very intoxicated. He sometimes was noisy, and at other times he slept.

Whittall was the next. He gave the story of his coming here, and expected to find lots of money awaiting him, but after he left home his father died and the estate was tied up. About the cheque story and the theatre party he knew nothing. All he remembered was throwing a programme at some one at the theatre. When he found out the true state of affairs on Monday morning he said it was "damned rot," and went around to the bank to see if his money had come.

Archie Reid then came forward with what the D. A. G. characterised as a new theory altogether. He said that when they went to the box office Whittall was the one who did the talking about having deposited the money in the Bank of British Columbia. All he himself did was to say that he would see the cheque was left for Jamieson at the Victoria hotel. On cross-examination he got somewhat tangled up and made some contradictory statements.

Charles Gordon corroborated Reid's evidence.

P. T. Patton, of the Victoria hotel, Reid's former employer, gave him a good character and said that he discharged him to reduce expenses and not for any misconduct, as insinuated in Reid's cross-examination.

The trial was then adjourned until 10.30 this morning, when Mr. Powell commenced his address to the jury. He went into the evidence at length, and contended that Whittall was so drunk at the time that he did not know what he was doing, and so was not accountable. He skilfully played on the sympathies of the jury when he pictured to them the sad plight of Whittall, far from home, citing him as an impudent boy bereft of his family's guiding hand and recently mourning the death of his father.

As to Reid, he contended that the jury must believe his story, which was corroborated by Gordon. He spoke for an hour and a half, and made what the judge afterwards called a clever address and one for which his friends heartily congratulated him.

Mr. Smith summed up for the prosecution, ridiculing the evidence of both prisoners, especially that of Reid, whose story, he said, was evidently made up for the purpose of shielding himself, regardless of Whittall. He forcibly pointed out the inconsistencies of the different evidence for the defence, and told the jury they should have no hesitation in finding a verdict of guilty.

His lordship then charged the jury briefly and told them the facts necessary to constitute the offence of false pretences and also to sustain a plea of not guilty on account of drunkenness.

The jury then retired.

At 2:20 the jury came in and said they found Reid "not guilty." As to Whittall they could not agree.

His lordship refused to accept the verdict and sent the jury back.

The court was then adjourned until 4 20.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World.

THE RING.

MAHER BEATS GODFREY.

Boston, May 31.—At the Casino last night Peter Maher, Ireland's champion, knocked out George Godfrey, Boston's heavy-weight, in the sixth round, after the greatest battle seen in Boston for years. It was a question whether Godfrey was "out" or not, but the fact remains that at no stage of the proceedings did the colored man hold the upper hand.

Frank Stevenson of New York was referee.

Round 1—Maher led, landing his left and right on Godfrey's stomach. A clinch followed, and in the break-away Maher again put his left in the darkey's face. The round closed in a clinch, both men fighting hard and with honors for Maher.

Round 2.—Godfrey tried in-fighting in this round, but even at this game Maher seemed to worst him. He succeeded in getting his right in on Maher's wind, but in return got half a dozen in the face. The darkey made a good rally, but failed to stop Maher's left-hand leads. At the close of the round Godfrey was dazed and bleeding freely from the nose and mouth.

Round 3.—Both contestants seemed tired at the call of time. Maher found Godfrey's jaw with his left, but was repaid for his trouble by a hot one in the ribs from Godfrey's right. His success seemed to encourage the colored man and he made bold to place his left three times on his opponent's face. They were easy and did not matter. Godfrey missed a vicious swing at Maher's jaw by an inch and the pair sat down.

Round 4.—Both sparred for wind and then followed a hot exchange, Maher getting in a couple of good lefts, while the negro placed his right on Maher's ribs to good advantage.

Round 5.—Maher was blowing and puffing, but he still had an eye on Godfrey's right, and when the latter swung it for his head Maher sidestepped him and it grazed his jaw.

Round 6.—The men see-sawed for about a minute and then Maher led viciously with his left, but missed. Godfrey stepped back, but the Irish lad now commenced to rush matters. Over went the left again. This time it was followed by the right and both landed. Godfrey went down like a shot, but was on his feet a second later. Maher measured the distance carefully, sent out his left as a feeler, and as Godfrey dropped his left to counter him Maher shot out the right. It struck the negro full on the jaw, and the darkey fell prone to the canvas. The ten seconds dragged slowly, but Godfrey failed to rise.

Maher in the meantime was being embraced in turn by Sullivan, McAuliffe and half a dozen lesser lights. Previous to this event three four-round draws were fought between Maxey Houghey of Brooklyn and Joe Rodgers of Boston, both bantams; "Low Down" Allen of Boston and Andy Wilson of Philadelphia, both colored lightweights, and Joe Godwin of New York and Young Goldman of Boston.

BASEBALL.

THE JUNIORS.

A game was played this morning at the hill between the two junior baseball teams, the Nationals and the Fernwoods. The Nationals with a team of seven defeated their opponents by five runs, the score standing 14 to 19.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TUG OF WAR.

The members of the R. M. A., Work Point Barracks, challenge the Victoria fire department to a tug of war. They mean business and are ready to put up any amount of money. An answer through this paper will oblige the members of the R. M. A., Work Point Barracks.

NOTES.

It has been decided to form an athletic association in connection with the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society. The annual gathering will be held at Caledonia park July 4.

The Victoria Lacrosse club is negotiating with the St. Andrew's and Caledonia Society for the lease of their grounds for five or ten years.

—B. C. B. G. A. band will be in attendance on the K. of P. excursion to Nanaimo on Sunday, June 17th.

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STARTING TO SIMMER.

The Political Caldron at Nanaimo Shows Signs of Boiling Over Very Soon

Judgment in Vipond vs. Corporation—The Electric Line to Wellington.

Nanaimo, June 2.—Dr. Walkem has made up his mind to stand for South Nanaimo in the government interest. The doctor feels somewhat chagrined because he was not nominated at the meeting the other evening, but nomination or not, he feels confident that he has the best of the position. If the doctor will take a little wholesome advice he will drop out, as it is a certainty with Tully Boyce in the field as the Reform Club candidate he will have no show. Both parties appear to be waiting the announcement of the day of nomination, and it is expected that affairs political will be pushed with unusual vigor. Last evening a meeting of J. McGregor's supporters took place, but when they dispersed they were very reticent as to the nature of the business transacted.

Judgment in the case of Vipond vs. the corporation of Nanaimo was rendered yesterday by Judge Harrison. The summing up was lengthy, but the decision in effect being judgment for plaintiff for $659, the amount paid into court with costs, up to the time the money was paid, and judgment for defendants on all other points with costs.

The last proposition laid before the council by promoters of the electric railway is one that the citizens should experience no difficulty in accepting. Under this last proposition the city will be called upon to guarantee only $2000 a year for twenty years, and when it is considered that by having such communication with Wellington, with the prospect of increasing the business relations and placing them on a more substantial basis than now exists, the electors should easily see the advantage in favor of Nanaimo. A by-law has been prepared for the purpose which will be submitted to them at an early date.

The customs returns for the past month were as follows:

Duty collected	$4,758 44
Miscellaneous	563 20
Total	$5,321 64
Goods imported free	$ 868 00
Dutiable	15,581 00
Total	$16,449 00

Application was made yesterday in chambers before Judge Harrison for an interim injunction to restrain the defendant, G. F. Cane, from collecting or attempting to collect, or interfering in the collection by A. R. Tolmie of any accounts due the Telegram for advertising. The injunction was granted with leave for the defendant to move to dissolve the injunction by giving two days' notice.

CLERGYMEN AS SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

To the Editor: A writer in the Colonist of to-day's date is good enough to suggest that because I conducted religious services at the Burnside Mission Baptist church I should resign my position as school trustee. The said writer must evidently be a citizen of large imaginative powers or peculiarly constructed in the reasoning faculties. He lauds Mr. Yates because being non-resident he wisely refuses to act (Mr. Yates did not nor will not resign, Mr. Citizen), and condemns me because for a few weeks I discussed religion on the Sunday at the same fee that I obtain for discussing politics—Dominion, provincial, civic and scholastic—on the other days of the week. Citizen is evidently unaware that there is a vast army of lay preachers in most denominations; ecclesiastical authorities define them as unordained, a phrase that is meaningless to me, and I hereby acknowledge that I am one of the unauthorized, unordained and unpaid. Clergymen in this province are allowed to join persons in holy wedlock. I regret that youth and beauty must pine in single blessedness if they ever apply to myself for aid in changing their condition. Clergymen usually adopt the cognomen of reverend and wear a peculiar garb, sometimes obtaining regular salaries; in neither of these characteristics can I claim a share.

I do not intend to resign; shall persist in holding on to my position, having received a mandate from the electors to do so; and rather think that I am doing very good service to the public and the cause of education in so doing.

W. MARCHANT.

THE CHURCHES.

(Announcements under this head are free. To ensure insertion the copy must be received before 3 p. m. on Saturday.)

St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West—Service at the usual hours. Rev. D. MacRae, pastor.

Central church—Rev. P. McF. McLeod, pastor. Usual services. Evening subject, "Church gossip and what we should do ..."

Kings Road Mission, (R.E.) Evangelical Church of England—Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; preacher, Rev. G. C. King. Sunday school, 3 p.m.

Metropolitan Methodist church, corner Pandora avenue and Quadra streets—Sermons 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. by the pastor, Rev. S. Cleaver, M.A. Evening subject, "The son of Moses and the death of Aaron." Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. All welcome.

Emmanuel Baptist church—Pastor P. H. McEwen, will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject, "The Passover;" evening subject, "Security and Wrath." On Tuesday at 2 p.m. the Northwestern Baptist Association will meet in the Emmanuel Baptist church and continue its sessions until Thursday evening. Platform meetings will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings when papers and addresses will be given on woman's work, home and foreign missions and young people's work. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Calvary Baptist church—Sunday, Rev. T. Baldwin will preach morning and evening. 10:15 a.m., prayer meeting in parlor; 11 a.m., children's service, subject, "Story of Hebrew Maid;" 3 p.m., Sunday school; 6:15 p.m., B.Y.P.U. prayer meeting; 7 p.m., sermon, subject, "Man seen under God's mindfulness."

Burnside Mission—Sunday, 2:30 p.m., Sunday school. No service on Wednesday.

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